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Bethel will continue to maintain little-used town roads

By MICHAEL DANIELS

After reviewing a series of road-research projects conducted in the 1970s, the Bethel selectmen agreed unanimously last week that now is not the time for them to unilaterally start ceasing maintenance on or discontinuing little-used town roads.

Selectman Bob Everett, raised the matter at a board meeting last month. At last week's meeting he said he

'As a practical matter, the [road] inventory is what the inventory is.'

SCOTT COLE
Town Manager

was pleased the subject had at least been broached.

"I've opened up a can of worms here, which is kind of good," he said. "It's brought out that we have some problems here, perhaps."

Everett's recent concern about the roads was prompted by more than a dozen telephone calls he received from taxpayers concerned about work the town did over the summer on the far end of Swan Hill Road in East Bethel.

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Savings from SAD/SAU consolidation calculated

By ALISON ALOISIO

The estimated direct cost saving in a merger of SAD44 and SAU37 is \$59,000 for the first year, a consolidation planning committee learned last week.

The savings estimate is for a new, combined school system, known as a regional school unit (RSU).

Residents in the two current systems will vote Jan. 27 on a merger plan completed last week by a Regional Planning Committee (RPC).

As part of the plan, the two current central superintendent offices would be combined into one.

The \$59,000 in savings would result from the potential reduction of 1.5 full-time positions and from reductions in the areas of rental

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Lesson: Strike while the iron is hot



Kinder-gartners from Crescent Park School watch intently as Gould Academy Senior Tucker Brown of Newry demonstrates a metal-bending technique at an anvil in the academy's blacksmith shop. The CPS kindergarten classes toured the blacksmith shop, barn and robotics lab Monday during a visit to Gould.

(Photo: Gould Academy; M. Dirk MacKnight)

Mt. Washington's wild extremes lure two young visitors from Russia's frozen north

Note: The following account of two weeks spent on Mt. Washington by two Russian women was arranged by Alice Strait of Gilead.

Strait is a volunteer with the Archangel Committee of Portland, an organization that arranges exchanges between the Portland area and its sister city region of Archangel in Russia.

For several years Strait has sold Russian crafts at the Blue Mountain Crafts Fair to raise funds to support the project.

By TATIANA NIKITINA and ANNA BALANDINA

It seems that extremes have been always attractive for human nature.

People often try to reach the limit of their possibility to precept the outward things, especially in relationship with wild nature.

For us — two strangers from remote islands in northern part of Russia — to visit the Mt. Washington Observatory has meant to discover our own limits.

We are Tatiana Nikitina, a meteorologist, and Anna Balandina, an interpreter. We

live on the small Solovki Islands, which are located in the southern part of the White Sea (Archangel Region, Northern Russia).

Our archipelago is situated only 100 miles south of the Polar Circle. For 8 months of the year Solovki is surrounded with thick coastal ice and during this time communication with the Mainland is only possible via air.

Twice a week (if the weather is fair) we have an airplane from Archangel, which is the main city of our region and also the sister-city of Portland, Maine, USA.

Solovki is often described as the area of extreme conditions: geographical, climatic, political, historical and emotional.

For medieval society the archipelago was a real "terra incognita" on the back of beyond, for modern Russia it is a metaphorical border of the Russian world.

Extremes are in harmony with Solovki spirit, so we were really interested in the possibility to visit Mount Washington, which is well known as a place with severe weather conditions. In short, we were going to spend our annual holiday neither on Hawaii, nor in Turkey, but in the home of the worst weather in the world.

Background for our visit

In December 2005 four people from Solovki community visited Portland. Their visit was a part of the exchange program "Open World" which is run by The Library of Congress. This visit was greatly supported by Archangel Committee (Portland, Maine).

Since that time, our community stays in touch with the people from Portland; they have visited our islands a couple of times and people from Solovki have visited Portland.

This coming December a delegation from Solovki will visit Portland four times as part of the "Open World" exchange program.

IN THIS CASE, THE METAL IS BRUTALLY COLD, BUT THE WORK MUST GO ON. Russian meteorologist Tatiana Nikitina strikes away ice from a tower atop Mt. Washington. Nikitina and an interpreter, Anna Balandina, recently spent two weeks at the Mt. Washington Observatory, as part of an exchange program.



Restored satellite model has new place of honor at Telstar

By ALISON ALOISIO

One of only a handful of replicas of the 1962 Telstar communications satellite is back on display at the high school bearing its name.

Telstar Regional High School opened in 1968. The school was named after the satellite that transmitted the first trans-Atlantic television pictures, via the Andover Earth Station.

In 1969, a replica of the 170-pound, three-foot-diameter satellite was presented to the school by Bell Laboratories, which designed and built it.

The model was displayed on a stand in the school auditorium.

Since then, the satellite has suffered from being bumped and jostled by four decades' worth of student traffic.

A two-year effort
In 2006, then-THS principal Ted Davis was contacted about possibly lending the replica for display at a satellite project reunion.

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FMI - call Nancy Davis, 381-1110

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Letters

EAT LOCAL — SHOP LOCAL

To the Editor:

There is a new type of campaign about to start around town, and guess what – it doesn't involve politicians! Hurray – right? It involves you! "Me?" you say. Yes that's right - you!

There is a small group of local businesses putting together an "Eat Local – Shop Local" campaign. We are calling it Buy Local Rewards campaign. Very soon you will find a flyer insert in the Bethel Citizen. All you have to do is save that flyer and bring it with you to at least five different local participating businesses to shop and they will validate the coupon for you. At the last location you use it you can leave it and it will be entered into a drawing for a \$100 shopping spree in any of the participating businesses. The \$100 will be issued to you in the form of ten \$10 Bethel Bucks Certificates not redeemable for cash. Many of the businesses will also be having some "in house" drawings and specials that you can take part in. The drawing for the Bethel Bucks is to be held on Dec. 22, 2008 at the Chamber office, and the winner will be called.

"Why should I do this?" you ask. Well here are 10 reasons we believe shopping and eating locally is important:

- 1) Local businesses provide jobs for local people.
- 2) Local businesses contribute to lots of local fundraising and events.
- 3) The help is friendly and courteous.
- 4) Do the math – you save on your gas!
- 5) Local businesses support other local businesses, which means job security for all.
- 6) No rush hour traffic jams.
- 7) Friendly encounters with your neighbors.
- 8) Competition and diversity result in fair prices and more choices.
- 9) Our hometown thriving is more important than cheap products.
- 10) The businesses have a vested interest in the future of this community. Help us meet this task.

Our message is simple – Eat Local – Shop Local – Be neighborly. Support small locally owned businesses this Holiday Season and every season to come.

Ellen Whitney

For The Village Enhancement Task Force

CRAIG CURTIS BENEFIT SUPPER

To the Editor:

In January of 2007 my very dear brother-in-law, Craig Curtis, was diagnosed with Acute Lymphatic Leukemia. Since his diagnosis Craig has been in the hospital receiving treatment for nearly 30 weeks. The chemotherapy treatment worked, Craig was successfully in remission for eighteen months until recently, when doctors discovered that the cancer had returned. Craig is back at Maine Medical Center receiving further treatment as they attempt to get the cancer back into remission once again. The next step will be the planning for a bone marrow transplant.

What makes this type of situation so tough is that Craig not only has his physical worries, but the fact that he and his family are facing a very serious medical situation. While he is fighting his battle, there is still the struggle to provide for his family, and the fact that they may be losing their home and everything they have.

It is hard to believe today that a self-employed man has to make choices of what is most important, a life or a home. Of course the choice is one of a chance at survival. My sister said they will do whatever it takes. She stated, "I am willing to risk everything we have, just for the chance that Craig will survive. We will just be thankful for Craig's survival, as he deserves to survive and his will is so strong!"

Please help them by attending the benefit supper, a Logger's Supper at the Bethel Methodist Church on Saturday, Nov. 22, from 5 to 8 p.m. with sittings at 5:30 and 6:30 p.m. At the dinner we will have ski pass raffles donated by Sunday River, a raffle on a Thanksgiving basket, and many other raffles. Also at the supper we are collecting e-mail addresses of those interested in being tested as a possible bone marrow donor, if a match is not found among the nationally registered bone marrow donors. As we anticipate the need for a drive, you may forward your contact information for becoming a donor to marilyn.swan@maine.edu or you may let us know at the supper, and we will gladly put you on our list of interested contacts in preparation of a bone marrow drive.

You may also send a donation for Craig to Marilyn Swan, 74 Sunday River Road, Bethel, ME 04217.

Thanks for your help and your support.

Marilyn Swan
Bethel

COME ON PEOPLE, SPEAK UP

To the Editor:

This is in response to the detailed explanation printed in the letters to the editor two weeks ago. I believe the meaning of the word "piste" is: "the track or tread a horseman makes on the ground he goes over." In the skiing industry it is used for the track or trail made by skiers. Therefore, the term "off piste" is used for off trail skiing. I can find no references to "piste off" in skiing.

Come on people, speak up!

Betty Gingras
Albany Twp.

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REMEMBERING ADDISON SAUNDERS

To the Editor:

The death of Addison Saunders removes a good friend of the Bethel Historical Society from our midst. Addison's accomplishment in the world of gemology are well known and much appreciated by many knowledgeable persons.

His interest in his hometown was great and for a number of years he had been working with the society to find a home for some of his collection. That process was continuing at the time of his death. Our interest in preserving the history of mining in western Maine is great and Addison did much to advance that understanding. We will certainly miss his quiet, but thoroughly competent advice on so many issues relating to mining and mineral collections.

On a personal note, I always enjoyed talking to Addison about growing up in Bethel. His insights were unusually incisive and his sense of humor concerning some of these memories was contagious.

We will greatly miss his visits to the society as well as his intense and sincere interest in all things Bethel.

Stan Howe
Bethel

KIDS ASSOCIATION THANKS

To the Editor:

The Mahoosuc Kids Association would like to thank the community for helping us celebrate "Lights on Afterschool" the week of Oct 17. MKA in association with 7,500 other afterschool programs across the country came together to showcase the importance of afterschool programming for our children and their families. MKA serves over 250 children a year in the SAD44 area, including our popular Summer Adventure Program. Our deepest thanks to the wonderful partnership between MKA and the school administrators, teachers, and staff.

I would also like to thank the dedicated staff, teachers, board, and community members who provide a wide variety of enrichment programs for our children to participate in during those critical hours between 3 and 6 p.m.

MKA is also grateful for the partnership between many local businesses and community organizations including the Bethel Inn, BIG Adventure Center, Sunday River, Bethel Rotary Club, Bryant Pond 4-H Camp, and the towns of Bethel, Newry, Greenwood and Woodstock. A special thanks to the Gideon Hastings House/Barking Dawg Market, Sassafras Market, and Kowloon Village for donating all the food for our "Lights On" Community Dinner. Without this generous community support, MKA could not provide the high-quality programming to the children of our area.

We look forward to many more years of "Lights On Afterschool" programs for our children and always welcome community volunteers.

Julie Hart
Director, Mahoosuc Kids Association

CHRISTMAS FOR FAMILIES 2008

To the Editor:

We would like to take this time to thank some of the people that have already started bringing things to us for Christmas 2008: Western Mountain ATV Trail Mixers, plus the anonymous donations.

As we all know the Holiday Season is fast approaching and Christmas for Families volunteers are looking for your donations and help to make a Christmas something special for some that would otherwise have little or nothing. Christmas for Families tries to help as many children of all ages as well as their parents (in SAD44 district). We know that this is a stressful time for all of us with the gas, oil and unsure times. With the help of the community we were able to assist 182 children in 59 families in 2007; we expect the need to be even greater this year.

There are a couple of ways you can help, one is to adopt a child or family; you let us know what size family or what age child you would like to adopt, we do not give out names or addresses but we give you ages, sizes and anything else we have for information that might be important. The other way is to donate money or buy a gift, such as hat, mittens, books, toys, game, warm clothing, blanket or gift cards. There will be a box at Maine Street Realty & Rentals to drop off things. If you would like to adopt a family or donate to this project please call Nina Wheeler at 836-3600 or 824-2114, leave a message or mail to Christmas for Families, 157 Barker Road, Bethel, ME 04217.

If you need assistance to make this a better Christmas for you and your family, please call 836-3600 by Nov. 30 or stop by Maine Street Realty & Rentals and there will be applications and a small box for the completed applications; again this must be done by Nov. 30 so that we can pull something together for your family. Our goal is to complete all this by Dec. 10.

We are also doing fundraisers, such as selling calendars (if you would like to buy one let us know) all calendar dates will be drawn off at the Benefit Bingo with a raffle and food sale on Dec. 5 at 6 p.m., doors will open at 4 p.m. at Jackson Silver Post 68 in Locke Mills.

Nina Wheeler
Director, Christmas for Families

ANDOVER HAUNTED WALK THANKS

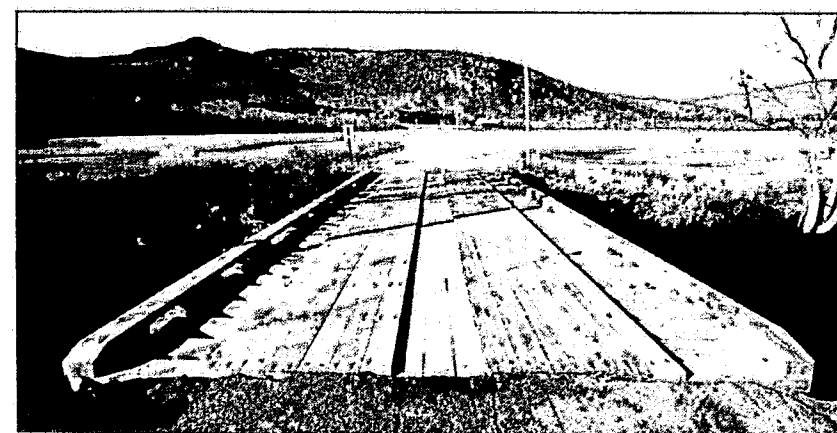
To the Editor:

Thank you to all who helped make the Andover Haunted Walk happen. The Andover Service Circle for their donation of \$50, all those involved in scenes, the guides, volunteers in the cafegymnasium, the donation of the pumpkins, the 4th and 5th graders carving them. Special thanks to Sue Mills and Cindy Gammon for organizing the event and the 5th grade for splitting the donations with Dee Dee's (Dorothy-Dawn Palmer) Memorial Scholarship Fund of \$523.

Sandee Hall
Andover

Roads

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'BRIDGE TO NOWHERE' (IN BETHEL)

The Smith Farm Road in West Bethel begins at the Flat Road, a little less than two miles south of Route 2, and extends west roughly half a mile before crossing into Mason Township (where the dirt section of the road begins). (Photo: M. Daniels)

The town spent roughly \$7,000 on the work, even though that section of road serves no residences.

According to Everett his callers were upset the town was investing time and money on such roads. "There are doubts about what we should be doing with some of these roads," he said last week.

Cloudy titles

And in the case of several other roads, he added, there's not even a "clear-cut explanation of whether we own them."

The Smith Farm Road is an example.

The road is located off the Flat Road in West Bethel, but serves no residences in Bethel. And it has an aging bridge that is due for replacement — a project expected to cost \$80-80,000.

But last week, even after reviewing documents from the 1970s research project, Everett said: "From what I'm reading we don't own that road and never did."

And fellow Selectman Jack Cross asked: "Why should we build a bridge that doesn't go to Bethel."

Two people who do use the bridge to reach their homes,

Mason Township residents Ray Geiger and Larry Fox, attended last week's meeting.

Geiger acknowledged the span had been referred to as "a bridge to nowhere." "But," he told the Bethel board, "it's not 'nowhere' to us."

And Fox said he plowed the road twice a day in the winter, and regularly cleared brush along the roadside, "but I never send the town of Bethel a bill."

'A silly line'

All present appeared to agree on one point: when the time comes to replace the bridge, every effort should be made to see that the county and state contribute their share to the project.

"We shouldn't be bearing the whole price of it," Howe said.

"Just tell us who to write," Geiger said. "We'll help you out; we'll get them involved."

"I consider us residents of Bethel," Geiger said later, "except for a silly line someone drew in the middle of the road."

Inventory is what it is

As for ongoing roadwork on all the roads in question, Cole said that for the time being at least, "What the town is doing for work is going to keep hap-

pening until there's a directive."

"If there's a cloudy title or no clear history of how the road came to be, that's irrelevant as far as doing the roadwork is concerned," the town manager said. "As a practical matter the inventory is what the inventory is."

Howe approved that message.

"I think we have no choice but to just put this on hold," Howe said. "Unless somebody has something else to bring up, I'm not willing to explore this any further."

But, he added, "Let's leave it open and if we find more [information] we can come back to it."

At least one resident conversant with such matters thought the additional information was out there, somewhere.

Bob Chadbourne, a large landowner and former chairman of the Bethel Board of Selectmen, also attended last week's meeting.

"I'm wondering if there might not be more papers out there that you don't have," Chadbourne told the board, "and I've got two or three ideas where they might be."

"I hope so," Everett replied.

Our Back Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson

10 years ago: Developer Bill Dunton was creating a laser-tag arena and rock-climbing wall inside the former Moore chicken barn.

The Androscoggin River Watershed Council was formed, creating the first such organization in Maine that covered an entire major waterway.

Barbara Lapham retired after 43½ years in the business office at Gould Academy.

Birth: Kiley Elizabeth Therrien.

Deaths: John T. McCaffrey, Joseph I. Penley, Raynor K. Brown.

20 years ago: Guy and Vera Parker celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary with a party given by their family and friends.

The town of Bethel sold its four remaining airport industrial park lots for \$65,000 at an auction held in the town office.

Sunday River Ski Resort opened for skiing on Sunday, Nov. 13, and by mid-morning there were 250 people on the slopes.

Deaths: Howard W. Marston, Flossie Twitchell, Vilho J. Waisanen.

30 years ago: The wreckage of a small plane traveling from Canada to Pennsylvania was found in the Puzzle Mountain area. All six occupants were killed in the crash.

Telstar senior Blainé MacKay was chosen to represent his class in annual DAR Scholarship Competition.

Pleasant Valley Grange, West Bethel, sponsored a well-attended Hunters' Supper.

Births: Deanna Marie Ryerson, Jessie Starr Wight, Megan Jean Meisner, Emily Ann McIntyre.

Death: Douglas F. Langille.

40 years ago: The SAD44 superintendent's office was moved from its Main Street location to quarters at Telstar Regional High School.

There were 40 hardy Senior Citizens members and guests in attendance at their monthly meeting at Garland Chapel despite a howling Northeast-er.

Pvt. Maynard Morgan was receiving basic training at Fort Dix, N.J.

Elwood F. Ireland, Headmaster Emeritus of Gould Academy, was among the 8,500 living contributors to the 1968 200th Anniversary Edition of the Encyclopedia Britannica.

50 years ago: Paul Shaw shot a 28-pound bobcat in Albany.

The 250-foot wide main slope at Sunday River Skiway, Maine's newest major ski development was nearly cleared.

Ekco-Tebbets Co. was demolishing the old general store building in Locke Mills village.

Births: Coreen Violet Clough, Catherine Mott.

Deaths: Raymond H. Jackson, Mrs. Maidie A. Hutchin-son.

60 years ago: Bethel's new garage on Cross Street for road equipment was nearing completion.

Mrs. Grace MacFarlane and Mrs. Lucia Tikander had a dress shop in Mrs. Tikan-der's home on Elm Street.

Death: Miss Deborah Rowe.

70 years ago: The Pine Tree Restaurant operated by Mr. and Mrs. Ray York closed for the winter.

The P. H. Chadbourne & Co. mill was moved to the land recently purchased of Frank Brooks, South Bethel. The Chadbourne mill had been located on the Songo Pond road about two years.

Lines for electric power and lighting were run through North Woodstock.

80 years ago: Arthur Garber purchased the Charles Douglass house.

Bethel Inn purchased the Burbank farm in Skillings-ton.

Deaths: Mrs. Thomas Ken-nagh, Mrs. Andrew A. Jen-kins, Mrs. Frank E. Dona-hue.

100 years ago: Albert Copeland completed his new house on Chapman Street and was moving in. (Now Bohr's).

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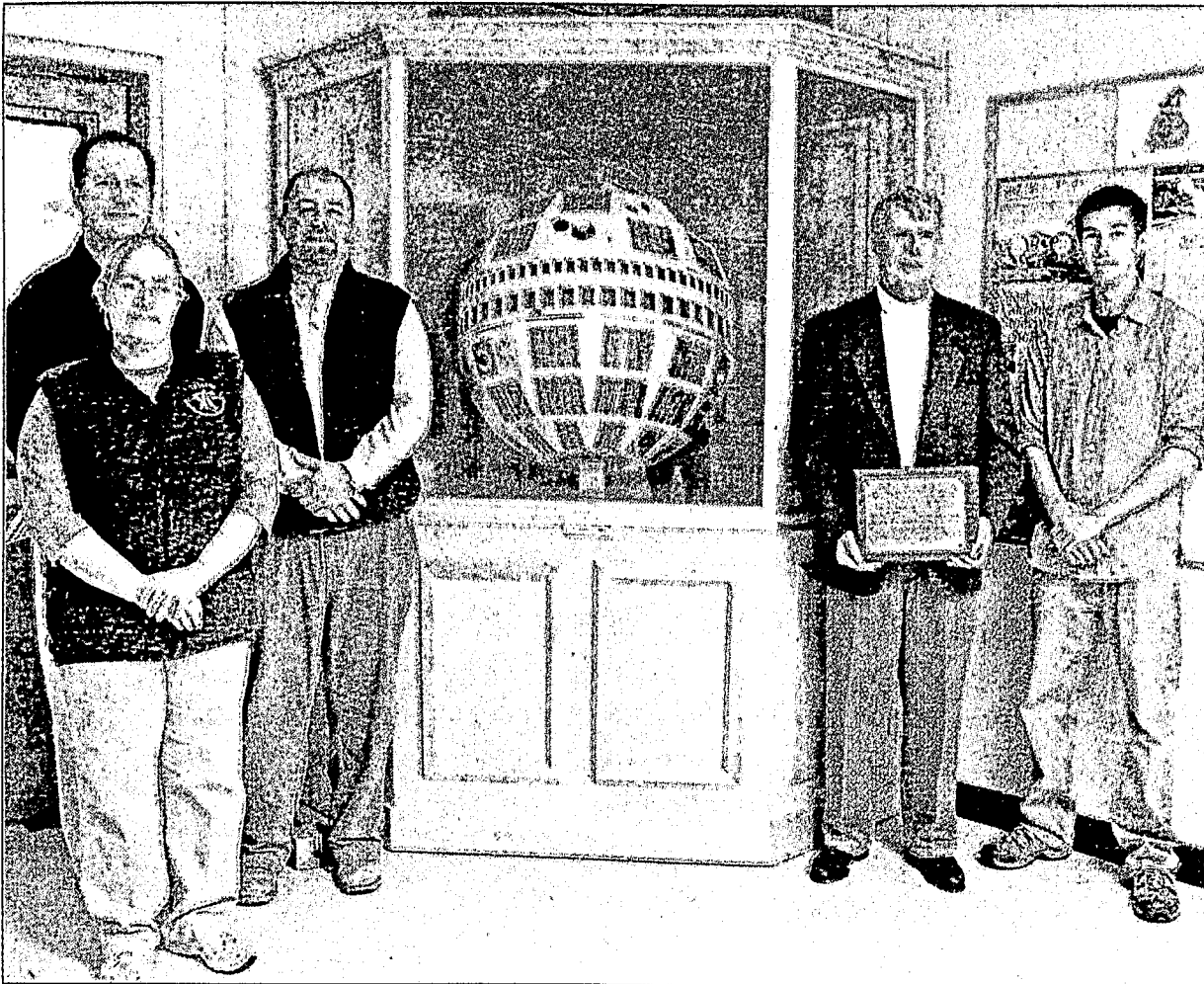
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IT'S BACK WHERE IT BELONGS,

said former Telstar High School Principal Ted Davis. The replica of the Telstar communications satellite that was displayed for many years in the school auditorium has been restored. Pictured are, from left: Tim Kavanagh (former advisor to Class of 2008); Merrill Ojeda (former advisor to Class of 2007); Randy Gilbert (cabinet-maker); former THS Principal Ted Davis and Ben Cross, co-president of the Class of 2009. More photos, Page 13.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)



"I realized that it was in a sad state," said Davis. Davis, who was a teacher at the school when it first opened, thought the replica should be restored and displayed again.

Through the company that bought out Bell Labs, Davis and school secretary Wendy Hanscom found a New Jersey company that had restored another satellite replica. The company, American Display, agreed to do the work.

Donations by the Classes of 2007 and 2008, the Telstar Yearbook Committee and the Friends of Telstar provided the funding for the project.

To transport the replica to New Jersey, Tim O'Connor's THS woodworking class built a crate.

When the loaded crate was placed in the school lobby for the shipper, passing students wondered what was in it.

So, said Davis, "We had a little history lesson."

Case built

While the satellite was off getting fixed, Telstar alum Randy Gilbert, a cabinetmaker, built a wood-and-glass display case for it.

Gilbert was enlisted for the project by Carver Woodworking of Bethel.

"I was excited to do it," said Gilbert.

The Class of 2009 is providing the funding for the case.

Last week, in the THS hallway outside the library, the satellite was prominently displayed in its new case.

The original plaque will be displayed again, and Davis hopes to gather photos of the old Andover Earth Station to place in the case.

Davis said he also remembers photos of the first THS graduation, held in the school auditorium, with the satellite visible on the stage.

He hopes the new display will prompt more interest among current students in the history of the communications satellite.

The school, he said, owns an old video in which President John F. Kennedy and Maine Sen. Margaret Chase Smith appear in the first televised broadcast across the Atlantic.

"I think every student should see the video," said Davis.

Visitors

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We were looking for possibility to develop our collaboration. This possibility appeared when Dennis Marrotte, vice co-chair Archangel Committee, found out about the Solovki hydrometeorology station and decided to organize some professional exchange between MW Observatory and our local weather station.

It took two years to arrange all the things, and finally on Oct. 18 we arrived in Portland.

That was the beginning of the big adventure.

On the summit

The first words we heard from everyone we met in the USA before coming up to Mount Washington were: "Do you know the forecast for the next few days? It seems there will be a real snowstorm!" And everybody looked so excited about it.

During the last few winters there was only a small amount of snow on Solovki so we were looking for some snow as well.

Usually first impressions are the most true, the most pure. Our first impressions about the mountain were really deep — we met something absolutely unfamiliar and unbelievably beautiful.

Living on Solovki we deal with wild nature all the time — it is all around you, but all that primeval nature of our Islands is on another scale when compared to The White Mountains.

If I may say so its scale is in the right proportion with a scale of human beings. And there, on Mount Washington we met something which didn't fit easy to our imagination, which was much bigger

than our possibility to precept.

The first couple of days on the mountain we felt really weird in our bodies and in our minds — we were very slow and soporific. It was so because of eight hours shift in time but also there was 20 percent less oxygen on the mountain than down in the valley.

The air was really dry — we could feel it with every single breath and movement. In the next few days we managed to adjust ourselves to all the new surroundings but we didn't stop feeling strange — we just got used to it as a cosmonaut gets used to the state of weightlessness but he never forgets about real earth gravity.

As we settled down on the mountain we started to work with the crews. Tatiana took part in observations and forecasting which were quite familiar to her.

The most exciting part of the work for her was deicing — she had never done this before.

The principle of operation for most of the instruments here are the same as on Solovki station; the biggest difference was an absence of marine observations, which is so usual for our Islands.

We have known a lot about local natural and climatic phenomena; some of them are very much alike with Solovki (frequent weather changes, fog, temperature regime, permanent winds); others are absolutely unknown (rime ice, speed of wind, thunderstorm when it is below freezing).

During two weeks we worked with both crews of MW Observatory, and all those people were great — friendly, open

and supportive.

To be honest it was not easy all the time to be in a small, isolated space, but it was much easier to do with them. And we think our holiday was successful.

We would like to say thanks to all the people who took part in this small pilot project.

We do hope it will develop, because we think it's important to see how in different parts of the world people deal with wild nature and how they take care of it.

The women provided further background information about their home:

The Solovki Archipelago is situated in the northern part of Onega Bay in the White Sea of Northern Russia — 65 degrees northern latitude and 35 degrees eastern longitude.

Population of the islands is about 900 permanent resi-

dents and up to 40,000 annual visitors and pilgrims.

Solovki is known for its unique cultural history:

The largest North European collection of labyrinths and pagan sanctuaries (II millennium BC).

The majestic history of the Solovki Male Transfiguration Orthodox Monastery. 1436-1920 and 1980s-present.

The tragic events of the GULAG Epoch. The first and most terrible concentration camp in the gulag system of forced labor. 1923-1939.

The site of some of North Europe's most phenomenal primeval nature.

Solovki now has one of the largest Federal Museum Reserves in Russia, whose role is to preserve and maintain Solovki's legacy as a historically significant center for knowledge.



The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

THEY just might be wrong! Who are THEY you ask? You know, THEY, as in "You know what THEY say?"

I always wondered just who in the heck THEY were and where THEY got their information that THEY pass on by way of adages and bits of wisdom that seem to have been around forever. I did a little research on this subject, and though I couldn't come up with any specific names as to who THEY were, I did find out that in many cases THEY don't know what THEY'RE talking about.

THEY say you shouldn't swim for at least an hour after eating because you'll get cramps and drown. Guess what all you aquanauts? You can stuff your bellies and immediately take the plunge off the deep end if you so desire.

According to physiologist Arthur Steinhaus, there has never been a documented case of drowning from cramps induced by swimming too soon after eating. Though I don't know exactly who Steinhaus interviewed to back up his statement, I think he's probably right. The American Red Cross no longer warns of the dangers of eating and swimming immediately thereafter.

Steinhaus does point out that it's probably a good idea to refrain from engaging in any strenuous activity on a full stomach, but this has more to do with discomfort than drowning hazards.

So what do THEY know? THEY think they know that chocolate causes acne, but THEY'RE wrong again! James Fulton, a dermatologist with the Acne Research Institute (I don't make this stuff up folks), did a controlled test using 65 acne-prone young people. Every day for four weeks part of the group ate a mega-chocolate bar with 10 times the normal amount of chocolate. The other members of the test group were fed a dummy bar. Halfway through

the test the bars were switched. None of the test subjects knew what bar he or she was eating and none suffered an increase in zits. However, they collectively gained 3,500 pounds.

THEY say no two snowflakes are alike, but THEY are wrong on this subject too and there are pictures to prove it. Nancy Knight, a scientist with the National Center of Atmospheric Research just happened to take pictures in which two snowflakes were identical in every aspect. Knight explained that the shape of snowflakes is determined by the temperature when they are formed, the amount of water vapor available and the speed at which they fall.

"You know what THEY say?"

Here's a good one. THEY say absence makes the heart grow fonder. However, THEY are a little contradictory, because THEY also say out of sight, out of mind.

Well, believe it or not, there has been some research done on this too. Phillip Saver of the University of Denver surveyed 400 college students and found that in most cases the students grew closer to their families and farther apart from their high school sweethearts when away from home. I could have told them this without having to do a survey.

THEY say time flies when you're having fun. This, of course, cannot be. There are 60 seconds in a minute, 60 minutes in an hour and 24 hours in every day. So their theory of time flying is relative only to the circumstances.

Albert Einstein, in an effort to provide a simplified explanation of his theory of relativity, gave a good example of why it sometimes feels like time flies when you're having fun. "If you hold the hand of the one you love for an hour, it seems like only a minute," he said. "If you put your hand on a hot stove for only a minute, it seems like an hour."

To put it in even simpler Bouchard terms: If it feels good, tastes good or looks good, it won't last very long.

THEY say breakfast is the most important meal of the day. Well, buck up all you oatmeal haters, it has been proven to be otherwise. In 1982, after reviewing every study they could find, non-breakfast eaters N.A. Dickie and A.E. Bender, both nutritionists at the University of London, concluded that there was little evidence to support the contention that omission of breakfast is detrimental in terms of measured performance.

So much for all that cereal that our mothers crammed down our throats for all those years. It now seems that we would have done quite well without it, that is unless the English breakfast is a lot less substantial than the American menu.

I still wonder who THEY are, but I suppose it really doesn't make a lot of difference. There would probably be less credence applied to old adages if attributed to an individual name. Would you be more apt to believe it if John Smith was the own who said, "Great minds think alike"? Or would you have your doubts if it was Mary Jones who said "Ignorance is bliss"?

The way I see it, it really doesn't matter what THEY say or who THEY are. THEY don't have a whole lot to do with me and THEY probably don't even read this column. But then again... you know what THEY say!

- ACROSS
- 1 TV host
- 2 John
- 3 Full of oneself
- 4 Amontillado
- 5 container
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- 8 In good health
- 9 "Without Love" ('68 hit)
- 10 Sanctuary
- 11 Hood's handle
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- 15 Annealing oven
- 16 Flagship
- 17 Newspaper
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- 24 Cad
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- 26 Hateful
- 27 Give a little
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- 29 Yesterday's
- 30 Lillian or Dorothy
- 31 Ivy Leaguer
- 32 Fancy
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- 34 dessert
- 35 First dog in space
- 36 Where cats congregate
- 37 Pie — mode
- 38 Lofty peak
- 39 Distribute the donuts
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- 41 Middle of remark
- 42 Born
- 43 '87 Peace Prize winner
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- 55 Pianist
- 56 Jorge
- 57 "Old Cow Hand" ('36 song)
- 58 Objective
- 59 Counter change
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- 121 "Frederica" composer
- 122 Mature
- 123 Descendant
- 124 Ready to reduce
- 125 Silverware
- 126 City
- 127 Infirmary
- 128 Went wrong
- 129 Snowy bird
- 130 "Big Three"
- 131 site
- 132 New York city
- 133 Bator
- 134 — au vin
- 135 Aussie walker
- 136 Cell stuff
- 137 Dandy
- 138 Hailing from
- 139 Aberystwyth
- 140 In accord
- 141 Swash-buckling novelist
- 142 Hitchcock film
- 143 Texas town
- 144 "I Love Lucy" surname
- 145 Tour-de-France vehicle
- 146 Adjectival suffix
- 147 Aptitude
- 148 Say please
- 149 Pound of poetry
- 150 Extend
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- 152 wacky
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Super Crossword

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From the Bethel Police Log:

Sunday, Nov. 9

At 10:15 a.m. Officer Bill Britting took a report of an overnight burglary on Main Street. A door lock had been pried. A key to a nearby structure was missing.

Saturday, Nov. 8

At 7:41 a.m. Officer Jason Goff stopped a truck speeding 71 mph in a 55 mph zone. There were several open cases of beer in the cab. The underage driver was summonsed for illegal transportation of liquor and for speed.

(Time not available) Officer Jason Goff stopped a vehicle for an expired inspection sticker on the West Bethel Road. The driver, Albert J. Cyr Jr., 44, was found to have a suspended license, and was in violation of bail conditions. He was arrested.

At 3:32 p.m. Lt. S.R. White received a report of a gas theft. Later the driver returned to the store and paid the amount owed.

At 4:20 p.m. Officer Crystal Aylward took a report of a catalytic converter being cut off from a vehicle on the Walkers Mills Road.

At 11:06 p.m. Officer George Gould responded to the Walkers Mills Road for a report of an unwanted person at a residence. Two subjects were given verbal warnings for disorderly conduct.

Friday, Nov. 7

At 4:50 p.m. Lt. S.R. White arrested Angela Leavitt for OUI on Route 2.

Thursday, Nov. 6

At 4 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor responded to a hit-and-run truck/deer accident near Davis Park.

At 4:40 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor responded to Mechanic Street for a report of an unwanted subject. On arrival the officer learned the subject had left. The subject was located later and issued a no trespass/harassment order.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists cases reported in the log of adults being arrested or issued a summons in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all reports of police activity, such as routine speeding tickets and other civil violations.

Tips from the Bethel Police Department

1. If you dial 911 by mistake, don't hang up. Stay on the line and tell the dispatcher what happened.
2. So that responders can find you quickly in an emergency, make sure your house number is clearly visible from the road — on the house if it is near the road, or on a mailbox or post if the house sits more than 50 feet back.
3. Watch out for scam letters and phone calls. A letter may state you have won money and need to pay a fee to claim the prize and release the money. Sometimes people will receive a check they are directed to cash, and then repay a portion to the sender. Phone scams may also attempt to elicit information (such as a social security number or birth date) the caller can use to steal someone's identity. And if a call-

From the Oxford County Sheriff:

(Bethel region)

Saturday, Nov. 8

At 2:04 a.m. Cpl. Brian Landis responded to a Woodstock location for a report of a loud party.

At 10:47 a.m. Deputy George Cayer was flagged down by a person in Bryant Pond who reported there was a naked male running down Route 26.

At 11:15 p.m. Deputy George Cayer assisted a Bethel officer on the Walkers Mills Rd. on an unwanted persons complaint.

Friday, Nov. 7

At 6:20 p.m. Deputy Tom Harriman served papers at a location on the East Bethel Rd. in Bethel.

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Bethel



by Donald G. Bennett

Department of Odds and Ends

Gas price at Irving was \$2.429

Monday. Heating oil price at Brooks Bros. fell 15 cents a gallon at the end of last week to \$2.749 per gallon.

Thank you MDOT for much needed highway repair of Route 26 in the vicinity of the Intervale Road intersection. The road's deterioration due to last winter's snow and water damage had made it the most dangerous road for motorists of any road in Bethel except for the stretch of the Sunday River Road from Swan's Corner to the Newry town line.

The Congregational Church members bid fond farewells and goodbye to Barbara Douglass at their post Sunday service coffee gathering last Sunday. Mrs. Douglass will be leaving her Eden Lane home - she would love to find a buyer. Having lived over 60 years in Bethel now at age 90 she hopes to go house hunting again once she lands in Dunbarton, N.H., a little NW of Manchester.

Walking the length of Broad Street now includes the newly paved 700 plus or minus feet of new sidewalk. All workmen, signs and barriers have left - fine looking job.

A Happy Mayville Family
Tom and Marcie White are celebrating the election of son-

in-law Jarrod Crockett to be the new state Representative for District 91 in the Maine House. Jarrod will be sworn in on Dec. 3 in Augusta and is attending orientation sessions now.

Fall is a time for clearing

Saturday while on our morning dog walk, I heard the high-pitched whine of a saw coming from across the river and wondered if the ghost of Red Blake's sawmill was running. So later in the morning I drove over to find that Bennett's Logging (Donald and Mike) had been clearing a large area that did in fact skirt the former Blake lumber yard. I heard that after the loggers had started their first job, neighbors thought it worthwhile to get in a little clearing of their own. The original one-customer job snowballed into a couple more. An icon of farming days long past - an old haying dump rake has stage front now on the top of a knoll. Exposed as it is the old rake is a perfect piece for country road scenery and target for passing photographers. Who knows? Next week we might see this antique on eBay.

New owner of the Bingham House on Broad Street

Last week I had a chance to meet Gretchen Anderson while she was answering questions of a number of workmen as they attended to repairing and refurbishing another one of Bethel's landmark residences. Mrs. Anderson took over ownership of the property from Edith and Charles Seashore this past summer. She and her husband, Kris, have owned a house in Powder Ridge for some years which they are now renting.

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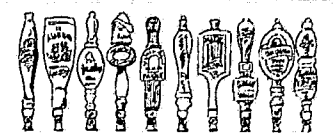
Coffee or Tea

Bruce Lilly is in charge of the work going on at the Broad Street house now. Mrs. Anderson indicated that after this phase was finished, Dave Nalley, who works under the Old House Renovation company name, would pick up the bulk of the interior remodeling. She also talked about how when they acquired it this summer, it was still, after 53 years, divided into two sections - Mr. Bingham lived in the southern section and the servant's quarters plus kitchen took up the north end of the house. She also said that Mr. Bingham's dentist chair and his barber chair had been left in place all these years on the second floor. As the house is renovated, the servant's area will be remodeled so that

it will become a part of the main home.

On first seeing the house Mrs. Anderson decided that it was the one for her. Randy Bennett, Bethel Historical Society, pointed out that its claim to fame architecturally is its shingle siding (and hip roof). Photos of the house taken in 1953 while Mr. Bingham was living there show off its elegant summer awnings shading all of the windows.

For those who are unfamiliar with William Bingham 2nd's (1879-1955) place in Bethel history, one could easily say that the town's "Age of Philanthropy" began a few years after his arrival in town from Cleveland to see Dr. Gehring. Besides



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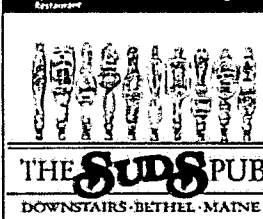
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contributing to the majority of Gould Academy's campus, he donated widely to Bethel's surrounding town educational and religious activities besides numerous other Bethel interests. In many ways, albeit on a smaller scale, he seemed to follow Andrew Carnegie's philanthropic ideas.

In a June 1977 article about her Broad Street memories, Margaret Herrick Oakes, told about the house being known as the Wright Cottage, then it became the property of a William Fuller who lived at the Bethel Inn but sold the house to Bingham when he, Fuller, wished to move to an area with more gaiety and activity than could be found in Bethel. It was sometime after 1917 that the house was enlarged on the north end to provide a servant's area. She also wrote that, "until it appeared in the Boston newspapers that he was the richest man in Maine, he lived just like anybody else. (After that) everybody started deluging him with begging letters and he could no longer live his own life. He went into a shell." Yet, Bingham took pride in his ownership of the Bethel Inn, development of the academy, attachment to his loyal circle of personal friends and obviously looked forward to his summer residences here for 44 years.

Road Paving Comes to Birch Wood

Friday the Bruce Manzer Company of Anson, Maine began paving Deer View Road in the Birch Wood neighborhood. Two roads are laid out in this development - Deer View and Beech Lane. At the end of the day Friday, they had paved both lanes of the southern loop of Deer View Road. Talking with the foreman, I found out that the recent drop in crude oil prices had not brought asphalt prices down to anything like the drop in gas prices. It was taking about one truck load of asphalt paving mix for every 100 feet of road lane. The company expects to finish this week.

New face in the historical society staff

The day after hearing about the Bingham chairs I asked Randy Bennett if I could get a photo of these objects of personal history. So we went on a treasure hunt of sorts. For the last few years the museum storage capacity of the Bethel Historical Society has become strained to say the least. First we went to a clos-



TELSTAR HONORS VETS—Local veterans were honored Nov. 7 at a student assembly at Telstar High School. The THS band played patriotic tunes and students Tim Aguilar and Jen Aldrich gave Veterans Day addresses. Front: Frank Gibson, David Smith, Mike Lynch, Jerry Greenwell, Phil Korhonen, Richard Grover and Ernest Angevine. Back: Jarrod Crockett, David Leclerc, Ed Roach, Jim Lunney, John Winslow, Wayne Hakala, Patrick O'Connors, Hi Berry, Norm Clanton, Sylvia Clanton, Bob McCartney and Ernest Aguilar.

et of a second floor room in the Robinson House where the barber chair had been tucked away. I think it might have been Room 72, of the former Elms guest house. This chair had been donated to the society in 1993 by Ms. Laurel Blossom a grand niece of Mr. Bingham. Bingham's sister was Elizabeth Bingham Blossom who founded the Bingham Foundation after her brother's death in 1955. From there we went to the closet in the office of the society's new Director of Development, James Dock. Here we found the good man's former dental chair which looked very much like the kind of chair that would go with a roll-top desk.

From another cubby hole, Randy pulled out two pieces of Mr. Bingham's luggage. These had accompanied the owner on his life's final trip to Florida where he died in 1955. But from the shape and condition of them these pieces looked like they had also been part of his luggage ensemble when he first arrived in Bethel in 1911. All in all this collection suggests that Mr. Bingham was in fact quite frugal.

For the last item, a dentist's drill, we walked over to Stan Howe's barn where this rather peculiar piece of Bethel history was stored along with many other larger items too big for museum storage.

So this brings us back to the story within the story. The Bethel Historical Society is re-

ally pinched for museum storage. The society has been in the process of trying to accumulate funds for a new museum storage building to be connected to the rear of the Robinson House. This situation is one of the chief reasons for hiring a director of development. Mr. Dock's great grandfather, Leslie Davis, was a Bethel mill operator, lumberman, Gould Academy trustee and Bethel airport flying enthusiast. Mr. Dock therefore has solid gold Bethel credentials. Although the mills are gone, Davis Park more than keeps the family name in public view.

Last week Mr. Dock's office published its first edition of the Broad Street Herald which is a society newsletter concerned with news of happenings within the society in contrast to the society's other publication, The Courier, which focuses on history articles.

Batter Up - Tom White wins College Baseball Foundation contract

Tom White has recently been chosen by the College Baseball Foundation and Hall of Fame to create the Brooks Wallace National Player of the Year Award Trophy. This award is named after former Plano High School baseball stand-out Brooks Wallace who later went on to play and coach at Texas Tech University. He was diagnosed with leukemia in 1984 and died in March 1985 at age 27. White met with the family of Brooks Wallace

in October in Plano to gather photos and information to create the sculpture of Brooks for the trophy. Tom will continue to be the sculptor for the College Baseball Hall of Fame for all of their upcoming sculpture projects.

What pleased Kathy and me to hear about this news is the many times we have visited Plano and its excellent city athletic facilities while our daughter lived there.

Step Four and Finish - Our Solar Project

Late Monday afternoon Jim List said, "Well I am finished." (Probably to himself, he also said, thankfully!) By the end of last week, he had installed the flexible duct work and circulating fan that goes with the solar air system. Under the roof beneath the warm air collector and where the ducts come through the roof, he had attached a fan housing and fan that moves warm air from collector to room and sends cooler air from the heated space back to the solar collector. The warm air diffuser is located in the ceiling of our dining room as a central spot.

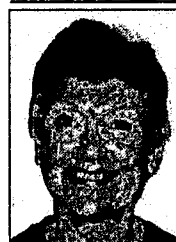
Last week he had also installed the last piece of the solar hot water system which was piping from the water tank to our furnace. This untested option I had thought (hoped) would allow us to heat water in the tank from excess wood furnace heat. It has turned out that we will have to add a circulator in this piping later.

Downeaster's ridership way up
The Boston Globe's front

page of its Saturday edition carried a long article about Amtrak's Portland to Boston passenger service. According to the article, at the end of September 2008 use of the service had increased 36.7 percent in the past year. It goes on to say that this increase was seen partly as a response to high gas prices, commuter preference for train over driving and the chance to relax with train friends while going to and from work in Boston. Also noted was the \$35 million commitment by Maine's Legislature to extend the Downeaster service to Brunswick.

If you have news for the Bethel News please e-mail it to me at Donald@thebetheljournals. info or call me at 824 2094.

West Bethel



by Lorrie Hoeh

It's probably safe to say that most of us have heaved a collective sigh of relief at the end of a very 1-on-1 election campaign. Most signs have disappeared from the roadsides, and it's back to business as usual. Whether or not one's candidate was elected, it's time to end talk of red states and blue states, and once more to be the United States. Let us roll up our sleeves and get on with helping the new administration restore America to order, stability, security, and respect. Deer season is almost two

weeks old, and I have heard precious few shots. If you know of someone who has bagged his/her deer, I'd love to hear about it. Our neighbor, Fred Bennett, is up at his Flat Road camp with a few friends for the duration, or until he gets his deer. We wish him and his buddies luck. I'm afraid the past winter was pretty harsh on the deer herd.

Last weekend I headed down to Wakefield, Mass., with two fellow spinners for the biennial Gathering of Northeast Handspinners' Association. Anne Gass of Paris and Marilyn Ackley of Buckfield were my "roomies" at the Sheraton Hotel and Conference Center Friday through Sunday. Northeast Handspinners' Association comprises spinners from Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, New York, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Connecticut.

The Gathering is held every other year in a different northeastern state. This year's was the tenth, so this has been going on since 1990. The first we attended was at Sugarloaf in 2000. Attendees have choices of three class sessions, plus all the fellowship of meals and spin-ins. On Saturday night we were treated to a program of Gaelic music and dance by a trio of young people who are the offspring of the president-elect of the association. The two young men and a young woman were very talented, playing multiple traditional instruments, and they are all spinners, to boot!

In addition to the above, one could shop for fiber "stuff" from the many vendors. There were yarn, fleece, prepared fiber, books, tools, and more to choose from. And there were drawings for door prizes several times over the weekend. I was pleasantly surprised to be the recipient of a two-pound bag of dyed and carded fleece, a blend of wool and mohair in a luscious mix of colors. This will make a nice sweater for one of the grandchildren!

Our Boston friends, Taylor Thompson, his wife Valerie Uber, and their younger son, Warren, were up for the weekend at their Flat Road house, to take a break from city life. (Their older son, Graham, is a freshman at Carnegie-Mellon University in Pittsburgh.) Mike was their guest for a gourmet game supper on Saturday night. Moreover, he was treated to supper on Friday night at the Siegels' home. This made for a guilt-free weekend for me.

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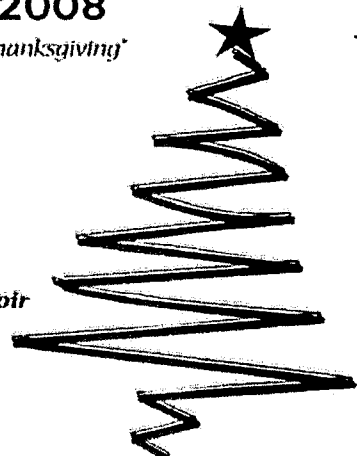
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ed me to join her and Molly in attending "Man of La Mancha," the latest production of OHMPAA (Oxford Hills Music and Performing Arts Association) in Norway. I'm really looking forward to that, because I've never seen it performed on stage or screen. Meanwhile, the Senior Players here in Bethel are just a bit more than a week away from their fall program. More on that next week.

The oak trees in our yard have finally dropped the last of their leaves, so we'll have at least one more raking session, if the showers ever stop. Let me know how you're faring, what birds you're seeing, and what interesting things you've done. 836-3011; dhoeh@megalink.net

Waterford



by Rockie Graham

I am sorry my column did not get printed last week. I guess they did not have room. In any case, this week we seemed to have come into cooler weather. So far, it has not snowed here. That does not mean that it won't. I know that it did elsewhere. Time to get the winter clothes out! We actually put away some of the summer clothes, but have not gone the extra mile and gotten out winter clothes. We have too much clothing!

Last week we went to Portland to see the specialist. He did not really give many answers. His bottom line is that there is some inflammation around the vocal cords. I knew that, but not why. He doesn't either. More tests are to follow.

Last week was a very incredible week for our country as we elected a new President and our first President of color. We shall see if that is a healing move. I hope so. In any case, it is a change and perhaps the economy will get better and our place in the world will be better.

On Thursday, Nov 13, Pat Gott will speak at the Whitman Memorial Library in Bryant Pond at 2 p.m. She will talk about her two new books: "Cowgirl Days" and "Horse Tails by Shafta." Open to the public with light refreshments.

At 5:30-7:30 that evening the Bridgton Hospital Operating Room will have an open

house. Call Joyce at 647-6763. Then at 7:30 p.m. in Bethel at the Bethel Historical Society, Barry Mower of the Maine Department of Environmental Protection will talk about Androscoggin River Water Quality, Past and Present. FMI 824-2908.

Saturday, the 15th, at 7 p.m., Martha Lello, the Marden's Lady, will perform at Second Congo Church in Norway. Tickets are \$10.

Saturday, sponsored by Responsible Pets in Norway, Dr. Suzanne Best will hold a neutering clinic for male cats at Norway Municipal Building. Cost will be \$30. FMI call Responsible Pet Care at 743-8679.

Thursday, the 13th, Waterford Historical Society will meet at 6:30 p.m. with a potluck supper at the North Waterford Church. It will be "Meet the Browns of Waterford" presented by Marge Kimball and others. All are invited. Bring a dish for potluck.

That is all for this week. Have a great week.

Gilead



by Lin Chapman

I'm sure there are many people who are glad that the election is over and I am one of them. The phone calls have come to an end.

This was a record election for Gilead. The voting list started out on Election Day with 152 voters, but by the end of the day there were 15 new registrations to bring the total up to 167. There was also a record set with absentee ballots this year. In 2004 there were 12 absentee ballots, and this past election 32 voters cast absentee ballots. At the end of the day, there were a total of 142 registered voters who voted in Gilead. The ballot clerks watched the pile of ballots dwindle to only four left at 8 p.m. The final figures showed that 85 percent of the voters either cast an absentee ballot or came to the polls to vote.

There was a great picture of Beverley Corriveau, tax collector, in last week's paper. The desk that she is working at was made by Bill Hinkley and matches the beautiful table in the conference room. Also on the counter are the pretty flowers that Bob and Judy Bishop sent to Bev and Lin as congratulations on opening the new office and good luck with the Open House. A big thank you

to Bob and Judy for their well wishes!

There were several people who stopped by to check out the new office while they were voting. The Open House went well and so did the coffee and doughnuts. Now that the two buildings are connected, it is very easy to go back and forth, and most people seemed pleased with the work that has been done.

My brother, Steve McLain, stopped by the house Saturday. He had been around picking up some of the candidate signs.

Hugh and I attended a birthday party last Sunday for our grandson, William Chapman. William turned 8 years old on Nov. 6. The party was held at Tim and Michele's in Gorham, N.H. Those attending were Annie Chapman, Sidney Chapman, Ajay Landry and Michele's parents, Leo and Ann Croteau. After lunch, William opened his presents and everyone enjoyed cake and ice cream.

Our grandson, Ben Chapman, of Ellsworth, went to the 74th New England High School Interscholastic Cross Country Championship race in Manchester, N.H., this past weekend. He placed in the top 10 at the State's last weekend so he qualified for this race. There were 266 runners and Ben came in 117th. His time was 17 minutes and 14 seconds and the winning time was 15 minutes and 47 seconds. There were runners from all over New England (Rhode Island, Connecticut, Vermont and New Hampshire to mention a few) so we are quite pleased that he placed in the top half of the runners.

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.com

Upton



by Laurie Brown

Thanks to the patrons and the cooks, the first supper hosted by the Ladies Aid Association in many years, was a success. Hopefully, there will be plenty more to enjoy.

I hand write my column - you know the old-fashioned way, with a pen and paper - without the use of a keyboard or spell check. Polly has the task of deciphering my penmanship and

putting my article into printable form for The Citizen. She does a superb job. However, last week she omitted a sentence which made my rendition of Joe's injury puzzling for the readers. Suffice it to say Joe fell off his roof on Friday, hobbled around thinking he'd sprained his ankle until Monday when he went to the doctor who determined he'd broken his leg. He'll be in a cast and gimpy for four to six weeks.

Last week both Tyler Aldrich and Michelle Aron were inducted into the National Honor Society at Telstar High School. Congratulations to both students for their accomplishments. Jennifer Aldrich, a senior at Telstar is president of the society. Three out of three and a thousand out of a thousand both denote 100 percent, an awesome achievement. One-hundred percent of Upton's high school students are in the National Honor Society. Wow!

Freeman Corriveau of Newry used his Yamaha 50 and Neil Bernier's help to fill in skidder ruts, take out some corners, and de-brush the snowmobile trail from Back Street to Regan Road.

Lisa Aron was home from Thomas College over the weekend. She loves school and has, not surprisingly, made a lot of new friends. Lisa, as a freshman, played varsity field hockey at Thomas. Nice going, Lisa! See you over Thanksgiving break.

Our road is experiencing a fall mud season, not unlike the spring mud season, and we appreciate the 4-wheel drive features on our vehicles.

Christy Dunham has seen and heard bears plenty of times in her treks on Back Street over the past several years. She's ignored them and they've ignored her, without incident. Recently, she was followed by a confrontational bear who snarled at her from a distance of about six feet before she and her dog safely got into her house. I think I'd have had to change my britches.

After I voted late Tuesday night, there were only two ballots left. A good turnout and not receiving quite enough ballots cut it pretty close.

Nancy Thew celebrated her 45th birthday with a party at hers and Ed Bennett's home on Saturday night. Nancy's parents and other family

members from the Cape were there as well as friends and relatives from Andover, Newry, Errol and Upton. Anna Sysco made her birthday cake, Collie Svenberg filled in as photographer and Ed Bennett shot off his cannon. They had a bonfire in the rain. Nancy was born Nov. 9.

Have a great week. Selah

Andover



by Melinda Averill

Hello readers. What warm weather we are having this month. Not very good for the deer hunting though, or the ticks. We need to kill those little things off. I say this because our dog had one on her last week. It was so disgusting (we learned our lesson, don't skip a month of Frontline, October is still pretty important). Did you know that you can send ticks to a lab in Portland and they can tell you about it? It is called the Vector-Borne Disease Laboratory, a division of Maine Medical Center Research Institute. Pretty interesting. They have a website, www.mmcri.org/lyme.

I need to apologize for an error in last week's column. I wrote that the High School Sports assembly was on the 6th. Well apparently it was pushed back to this Thursday, Nov. 13. (My daughter didn't tell me until two days before, of course!)

Darcy Liberty, daughter of Stan and Donna Morse, is the new communications manager at Sunday River and Sugarloaf Mountain. Darcy was the communications manager at Winter Park Resort in Colorado prior to coming to Bethel. She was married in September, and her husband, Justin, who has his own restaurant back in Colorado, will be joining her soon.

Happy Birthday this week to 2-year-old Ella Marie Akers on the 15th, and Jacob O'Leary

and Taran Vitale, both on Wednesday, the 19th.

Last Tuesday there was a large turnout for voting. Over 500 Andover residents voted.

Members of Andover Service Circle noted that many town residents have had surgeries in various settings as day-to-day experiences. Until recently, the Circle's policy had been to send well wishes only to those who were admitted to the hospital. Consequently many people who might have been cheered by a greeting card were missed. In response to the methods of healthcare delivery in our present-day healthcare system, ASC has changed its policy to include the sending of Get Well cards to all those who have had day-stay surgery. In order to follow through on the new policy, the Circle will need the assistance of Andover citizens. Along with continuing to let ASC know when someone is hospitalized, please inform a Circle member of anyone in town who has had day-stay surgery. ASC has also decided to become the repository of medical equipment that is no longer in use. Please contact a Circle member if you have a formerly used medical item that you believe might be of use to another Andover resident. Ruby Kulpa has donated space for storage of such items.

Andrea Bretz Savitz, president of ASC, wishes to remind Andover residents that the Circle welcomes into its membership anyone who would like a way to give back to the town we all love. Except for a summer recess and the December meeting, ASC members gather in the kitchen of the Town Hall at 6:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month. Potential members are encouraged to simply show up to look the Circle over. It will be learned firsthand that being a part of an organization nicknamed "The Helping Hands of Andover" has been a gratifying ex-

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This Saturday, Nov. 15, is the Craft Fair at the Sons of Italy in Rumford. It is from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

This Saturday, there is a Craft Fair and Food Sale at the Rumford Center Grange. It is at 9 a.m. until 2.

A kind thank-you to all Veterans in recognition of Veterans' Day, which was Tuesday, Nov. 11.

Anyone interested in Christmas wreaths, I will be making them again this year - just give me a call.

Have a nice weekend.

Newry



by Sylvia Harrington

Perhaps unless we get snow and with the hunting season in full force, trail work for the upcoming season of the WVSC will be put on hold. Still call Leon or Ed with any questions (Leon Dunn at 824-3335 or Ed Powers at 1-207-739-9618 for information).

For snack foods and deer tagging, stop at the Bear River Trading Post. Last week the total deer tagged since Nov. 1 is 17.

Licenses and registrations for snowmobile and ATVs are available at the BTRP as well as applications for the local Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club.

The Board of Selectmen meets on the first and third Monday of each month. The Planning Board members meet on the first and third Wednesday of each month. Their agendas are posted at the Town Office. If you need

more information about these meetings you may call the Town Office at 824-3123. All meetings at the Town Office are open to the public.

Hanover



by Clem Worcester

Did you go to the hunters' breakfast at the Grange in Rumford Center last Monday?

Good, wasn't it? Remember to go to their Craft Fair and Food Sale on Saturday, Nov. 15.

If you have craft items to display, a table can be rented by calling Vicki at 364-2129. A light lunch will be available.

Sympathy is extended to Dottie Emery and Geneva Goddard and their families because of death of their brother, Warren Knox of Peru. Services were last Saturday.

Just as most years, Andy Barlow has been a successful hunter having claimed his buck one morning last week. This was a great feat since Andy was recently released from a Portland hospital following surgery. It has been reported that by last weekend six deer had been tagged in Hanover.

Election Day proved to be very busy for election workers Paul Ramsey, Gordon Howe, Herb Adams, Donna Worcester, Kelly Harrington and Clem Worcester. Ninety percent of Hanover voters turned out to vote including 20 percent that voted absentee ballots.

Of the ballots supplied by the elections division only 19 remained at the end of the day. Eighteen new residents registered to vote. One contest will go to a recount and election materials have been packaged for a State Police trip to Augusta. Hanover voters generally followed national

al trends and locally approved the school consolidation referendum.

Other Election Day activities included a food sale to benefit Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, and that was a splendid success. The Cub Scout food drive for the Bethel Food Pantry collected two large boxes of food items. Many voters stopped by to order wreaths to benefit the Crescent Park fifth-grade trip to Boston.

The 50/50 raffle to benefit Gardner Roberts Memorial Library was drawn on Nov. 5 after growing to \$200. The winner was Danielle Smith Bruce and she re-donated \$50 of the winnings to the library. Very sadly the library is now closed until early next spring. The library has gotten off to a great start this year and saw many increases in use under the direction of librarian Peggy Susbury. Even though the library is closed for the winter, Peggy will get no vacation, as we expect her activities will provide for a bigger and better next year.

More sad news, as many Hanover property owners have received their 2008/2009 tax bills. The assessors were able to keep the rate lower than expected and that should translate into lower taxes for some.

The new tax schedules and rates have been added as an option on the Hanover website, www.hanoverme.org. There have also been updates to reflect other changes in Hanover government. The bulletin board is updated weekly.

Bill Worcester was hospitalized in Rumford Hospital earlier last week and was eventually transported by ambulance to Togus where he remained throughout last weekend. We wish for him a speedy recovery and a rapid trip home.

Donna and Clem Worcester traveled with Freeman Farrington to Brewer last Sunday for a Knights of Pythias meeting.

Greenwood City



by Wayne Hakala

We are tired and happy tonight. We did a Basket Bin-

go benefit for the Oxford Hills High School softball team today. We had to do a lot of cleaning before the benefit could start this morning. I wonder why? But the team made some money for their spring training junket. We of the American Legion family wish you well.

Tuesday evening, we helped with the ballot counting for Greenwood. Jim Lowe and I always count together and have a good time stirring the pot a bit. Needless to say it was a long evening. We were joined by Amy Chapman and number one son, Will. An excellent undertaking for a young man to do for his country. Very pleased to see him.

Wednesday I was off to Togus for tests on my legs. I could hear the amplified sound of blood flowing through my veins. Don't know what more they need. And then it was back to the Legion to help with Bingo.

Thursday evening Post 68 and Post 81 had the great honor of hosting the attendees of the 2008 Boys and Girls State program. These young men and ladies are an excellent example of our future leaders. Each gave brief remarks during the program that shows how much they learned in a very packed week. The week they participated in included parliamentary procedures and democracy, plus other activities to build "Teamwork."

It was a privilege also to host State Department Commander John Doyle. Plus the state Sons

American Legion (SAL) Commander Bruce Pierce; Fifth District Commander, Bobby Richardson; Past Department Commander Edward Roach; Past National Auxiliary Chaplain Jeri Greenwell; and Past Department President Kitty Wells. All of the two posts' members present felt this evening was a great success and a privilege to have in our presence these fine examples of our future leaders. Let's hope that we as two posts can continue this event plus others in the future and particularly where children of our future are concerned.

Friday noon, Telstar High School hosted the area veterans to thank us for our service to our country. What a fine presentation the students gave. The band's numbers were very good. Jennifer Aldrich and Timothy Aguilar did excellent presentations again as in the previous evening's event. I for one need to thank Mr. Hart, all the staff of Telstar and all the students of Telstar for the thank you to our country. I know there were several tears rolling down our cheeks. Thank you all!

Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt

Franklin Grange 124 met Saturday, Nov. 1. It was reported that part of the

electrical work had been done. New lights in the kitchen sure make a difference. It was voted to buy more oil. Mock Hee Haw Show was discussed. Program: opening thought; song, "This is my Country"; Veterans prayer written by Emery Ryerson was read by Richard Felt; song, "My Country 'Tis of Thee"; World War Memory read by Olive Risko; song, "America the Beautiful"; A Soldier's Prayer read by Laura Hutchins; music by Dot Canwell and Richard Felt; Mystery March, closing song, "God Bless America"; closing

thought. Next meeting will be Saturday, Nov. 15, with a potluck dinner.

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30, evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening at 6:30 is prayer meeting and Friday at 6:30 p.m. is youth group.

The Woodstock Extension will meet Wednesday, Nov. 19 at 1 p.m., at the Town Conference room. Tasting party.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens met at the Town Conference room on Thursday, Nov. 6, with 22 members and one guest present. New officers were nominated from the floor for the new year as follows: joint presidents, Norma Davis and Alice Hoyt; treasurer, Denise Swan; secretary, Joan Morgan. Ways to earn money were discussed. A very nice potluck dinner was held. Gil Whitman explained the remembrance park on the common. Stones may be purchased in memory of a family, organization, or whatever. These will be on the wall around the back side of the park. Next meeting will be at Locke Mills Legion Hall with dinner put on by the Auxiliary. Please bring a gift for Children for Christmas or item for food pantry or both. If you wish to exchange gifts then bring one. Program is uncertain at this time.

Historical Society
The Museum has posters of events that took place at the Opera House in Bryant Pond Village. It was close to where the post office is now. The museum also has photos and glass negatives of Arkett, a local photographer near the beginning of the 20th century. Also in the museum are many of the instruments of Dr. Willard, the local physician. There were theatricals in Bryant Pond years ago, and there are photos of a number of those. An orchestra of Bacon family members also frequently performed. They have school and team photos too numerous to mention and a case full of trophies. They try to reflect the life of the community in general.

Society members hope you will attend the meetings the

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second Saturday of each month beginning with a potluck supper at 6 p.m. The programs and research reports are all of general interest.

The museum features fine art, furniture, glass, china, quilts, costumes, tools, jewelry, postcards, old photos, and books. The collections are very interesting and there is a large collection of Woodstock memorabilia.

Larry Billings says his Cultural Center has great art and artifacts of all kinds. Visit soon.

From

Western Mountains Senior College

Senior Players will be having their final dress rehearsal next Thursday, Nov. 20, in preparation for their "week-end of theater" on Nov. 22 and 23. We're inviting all "Red Hats" to join us for this rehearsal. We need an audience and you've always helped us to do better with your laughter. In addition, you'll be able to see all plays performed during rehearsal. During our "week-end of theater," we won't be performing all plays on each date in order to keep the performance time under two hours.

Lynn Arizzi directs the nine one-act plays, both comic and serious, which we'll be performing as follows:

"Ladies of the Mop" by Aurand Harris is the delightful story of four talented cleaning ladies - Annie, Mattie, Bessie and Hallie - told in rhyme which features Rosabelle Tift, Roberta Taylor, Tineke Ouwinga and Carole Timberlake. As they mop the theater stage after a performance, they share their own secret talents.

"Late Date" by Jack Neary features two couples, Joe Arizzi as Jim and Joanne Morse as Carrie who are "20 something," and their mother and father, Mary Colbath as Alice and Ross Timberlake as Walter who are "50 something." Frustrations arise between Jim and Carrie when their parents decide to date.

"The Old Folks" by Carole Burnett is a sketch about Molly and Bert, which takes place



SENIOR PLAYERS TO PERFORM

Tineke Ouwinga and Roberta Taylor will perform in "Ladies of the Mop," as two of four cleaning ladies in a play told in rhyme. The other performers are Rosabelle Tift and Carole Timberlake. The performance takes place at the McLaughlin Science Center, Trustees Auditorium, Gould Academy on Saturday, Nov. 22 at 7 pm and on Sunday, November 23, at 2:30 p.m.

on the front porch in their rocking chairs. Lynn Mason and Walter Brough are the actors.

"Papyrus Found on Mount Ararat" by Jules Tasca is the story of Noah and his Ark as told through the eyes of his loving wife, played by Arita Zitoli and his disgruntled mother-in-law, played by Mary-Ellen Gartner.

The entire cast will be featured in "The Code of the West" by Michael Kilgariff. This unusual melodrama told by a poet takes place in an Old West saloon and is mimed by the cast.

"Georgie and Sass" by Jenny Laird is the story of Sass played by Lorrie Hoeh who has cancer and her roommate, Georgie, played by Sharon Lyon. This piece results in a humorous and unusual confrontation in the kitchen.

"The Tooth Hurts" by David S. Raine features Leigh Dickinson as a tooth fairy, who is retiring after 400 years of service. Read Dickinson is studying to be her replacement. Carol Campbell also appears.

"Boy Toy" by Kim Kelly is the story of Boo, played by Mary-Ellen Gartner, who

loves to buy things advertised on television. Her latest acquisition is Cha Cha, a robot played by Carol Campbell. Sharon Lyon plays Boo's disapproving niece. Lynn Mason, Karen Paul and Walter Brough are the television actors.

"The Family Jewels" by Andy Gregg features Joe Arizzi and Arita Zitoli as Lord and Lady Twitchwell whose jewels are stolen right under the nose of the famous Shirley Holmes played by Tineke Ouwinga. There are several suspects: Tex played by Ross Timberlake, Sheikh Abdul by Joanne Morse, Fifi LeFleur by Carole Timberlake, Madam Hu by Mary Colbath, Miss Rottweiler by Lorrie Hoeh, Egbert by Roberta Taylor and Polly by Rosabelle Tift.

The public is invited to the performances on Nov. 22 beginning at 7 p.m. and on Nov. 23 beginning at 2:30 p.m. at the Trustees Auditorium in the McLaughlin Science Center of Gould Academy. Admission is free but donations will be accepted to offset royalty fees. For more information, call Lynn Arizzi, director, at 824-0080.

From

Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

Barry F. Mower, a biologist for the Maine Department of Environmental Protection, will be the featured speaker at the next lecture in the 2008 Bethel Historical Society Series to be held on Thursday, Nov. 13, at the Dr. Moses Mason House Exhibit Hall beginning at 7:30 p.m. His presentation is titled "Androscoggin River Water Quality: Past, Present and Future" and is sponsored in part by a grant from the Maine Humanities. The lecture is free and open to everyone. The society is currently offering an exhibit on the Androscoggin River's history in its O'Neil Robinson House, which is open Tuesday through Friday, 10 a.m. to Noon and 1 to 4 p.m.

Mower received his B.S. in

Wildlife Science from the University of Maine at Orono in 1969 and his M.S. in Fisheries with a minor in Water Quality from Oregon State University in Corvallis. He is currently a Ph.D. candidate at the University of Maine at Orono and has been a biologist with the Maine Department of Environmental Protection since 1974. His professional affiliations include the American Fisheries Society and the Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry. He is the author of numerous reports relating to fisheries and water quality.

One of the largest rivers in New England and the third largest in Maine, the Androscoggin drains an area of over 3,400 square miles in Maine and New Hampshire. The 170-mile waterway begins its journey near Errol, N.H., where the outlet to the Rangeley Lakes and the Magalloway River join, and - punctuated with numerous rapids and

impressive waterfalls - eventually mingles with the waters of the Kennebec River in Merrymeeting Bay below Brunswick, Maine, before flowing into the Atlantic.

Long used by a variety of industries to power machinery and to carry industrial and municipal waste products downstream, the Androscoggin was one of the ten most polluted rivers in the United States by the 1960s. However, discharge regulations set by the 1948 Water Pollution Control Act and its subsequent amendments have allowed the river to make a comeback, so that in some sections (notably upriver of Jay, Maine), it is becoming a significant recreational resource for communities along its banks.

The Androscoggin River has both supported and constrained human activities along its course over a period of many centuries. Consequently, the society's ex-

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hibit draws attention to the ways the Androscoggin has affected the lives of people on and around it - and how those same people have affected the Androscoggin during the river's journey through time. Through the use of selected images, artifacts and text, this display presents a vivid picture of the Androscoggin's past: as a transportation route for Native Americans and, during more recent periods, as a watercourse for the movement of logs destined for lumber and paper mills; as a source of nutrients for agricultural production and waterpower for industry; as a conveyor of a variety of pollutants to the cold waters of the Atlantic; and as a popular destination for boaters, fishermen, artists, photographers, and nature enthusiasts.

"Down Mountain and Cross Country: 140 Years of Skiing in Maine"

Scott Andrews, writer and researcher with the Ski Museum of Maine, will be the featured speaker at the final lecture of the 2008 series at the Bethel Historical Society's Dr. Moses Mason House Exhibit Hall on Nov. 20 at 7:30 p.m. His topic will be "Down Mountain and Cross Country: 140 Years of Skiing in Maine." Sponsored in part by a grant from the Maine Humanities Council, the lecture is free and open to all interested persons.

During his presentation, Andrews is expected to survey the history of skiing in the Pine Tree State from its beginnings with Swedish immigrants in Aroostook County in the 1870s to the present day. Using dozens of historic photographs, he will cover such varied subjects as the winter carnivals of the 1920s and 1930s, early rope tows in western Maine (including one in Bethel), and the growth of today's large-scale resorts. He will also visit a few ski-related failures, such as the expensive saga of Evergreen Valley in Lovell/Stoneham. Key personalities in Mr. Andrews' talk will include Olympic athletes, plus other men and women who built skiing from a fringe sport for a hardy few into today's multi-million dollar industry.

With over 1,400 members, the Bethel Historical Society, founded in 1966, is western Maine's largest and most comprehensive full-time historical agency, dedicated to collecting, preserving, and

interpreting the regional past for present and future generations. For over 40 years, the society's activities have included lectures, exhibits, special events, heritage festivals, workshops, conferences, school and educational programs, and publications. In 1974, the society acquired the former Broad Street residence of Dr. Moses Mason, which now contains a period house museum, exhibit hall and research library. In 1999, the society opened the O'Neil Robinson House (next door at 10 Broad Street) to the public for an expanded exhibit program, museum shop space, and administrative offices. Through the years, the society's achievements have been recognized by a number of state and national organizations.

Further information about the society and its activities may be obtained by calling 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910, or by sending an e-mail to info@bethelhistorical.org. Additional information can also be obtained by visiting the society's website at www.bethelhistorical.org. The society's mailing address is P.O. Box 12, Bethel, ME 04217-0012.

From *S.W.O.A.M.*

Tom Doak, executive director of the Small Woodland Owners Association of Maine, will speak on the "Changing Face of SWOAM" at 7 p.m. Nov. 20 at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School.

Doak will outline changes recommended in the Swardlick Market Group report, which includes changing the group's name and logo. Other recommendations include appealing more to landowner wildlife interest and youth programs, increasing media coverage, focusing more attention on the annual membership drive and increasing awareness of the SWOAM land trust program.

The meeting is open to anyone. All SWOAM members are encouraged to attend. For further information, contact Western Maine chapter President Merle Ring at 674-3787.

From *Waterford Library*

The next meeting of the newly formed bridge group that gets together at the Waterford Library the fourth Monday of each month will be on Nov. 24 at 6:30 p.m.

No partner is necessary. Be-

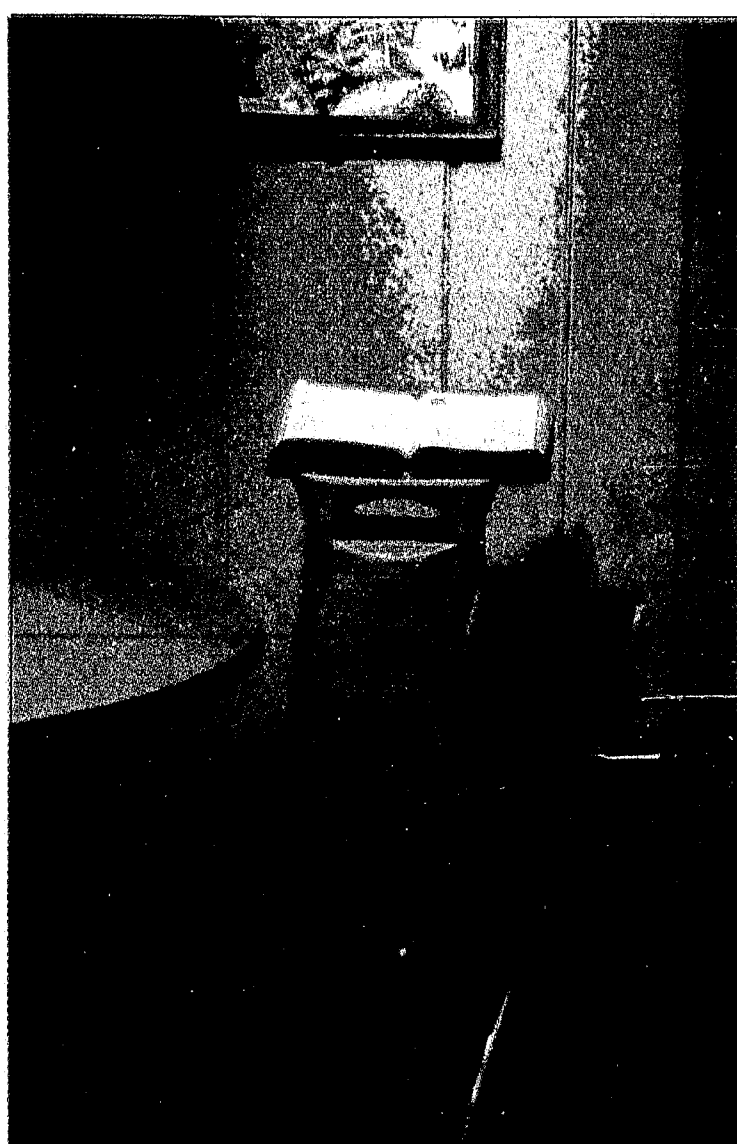


EXHIBIT AT GOULD—Furniture designer and Gould alum Eric Rittter '95 will exhibit his work in the Owen Art Gallery on the Gould campus on Friday, Nov. 14. The opening is from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

ginning and experienced players are welcome.

This will be an informal group where participants may learn from each other.

For more information call 583-2729.

New Books

Fiction: "Alfred and Emily" by Doris Lessing, "American Savior, a Novel of Divine Politics" by Roland Merullo, "American Wife" by Curtin Sittenfeld, "The Bible Salesman" by Clyde Edgerton, "The Black Tower" by Louis Bayard, "Bones" by Jonathan Kellerman, "The Brass Verdict" by Michael Connelly, "Brida" by Paulo Coelho, "Cost" by Roxana Robinson, "Dear American Airlines" by Jonathan Miles, "Devil Bones" by Kathy Reichs, "Echo Burning" by Lee Child, "The Gargoyle" by Andrew Davidson, "The Gate House" by Nelson DeMille, "The God of War" by

Marisa Silver, "Goldengrove" by Francine Prose, "The Guernsey Literary & Potato Peel Pie Society" by Mary Ann Shaffer, "The Heretic's Daughter" by Kathleen Kent, "Home" by Marilynne Robinson, "The Host" by Stephenie Meyer, "Indignation" by Philip Roth, "The Keepsake" by Tess Gerritsen, "Lie Down With the Devil" by Linda Barnes, "The Likeness" by Tana French, "The Little Book" by Selden Edwards, "The Lucky One" by Nicholas Sparks, "Man in the Dark" by Paul Auster, "Moscow Rules" by Daniel Silva, "The 19th Wife" by David Ebershoff, "Nothing to Lose" by Lee Child, "Rogue" by Danielle Steel, "The Spies of Warsaw" by Alan Furst, "Sundays at Tiffany's" by James Patterson, "Swan Peak" by James Lee Burke, "Testimony" by Anita Shreve, "To Siberia"

by Per Petterson, "The Turnaround" by George Pelecanos, "Where the River Ends" by Charles Martin.

Non-fiction: "Hot, Flat, and Crowded" by Thomas L. Friedman, "The Last Lecture" by Randy Paus, "Maine's Visible Black History" by H. Price and Gerald Talbot, "The Rhino with Glue-On Shoes: And Other Surprising True Stories of Zoo Vets and their Patients" by Lucy H. Spelman and Ted Y. Mashima, "The Tipping Point" by Malcolm Gladwell, "The War Within: a Secret White House History 2006-2008" by Bob Woodward.

Books for children and young adults: "Afternoon on the Amazon" by Mary P Osborne, "Blizzard of the Blue Moon" by Mary P Osborne, "Bones and the Big Yellow Mystery" by David Adler, "Bones and the Math Test Mystery" by David Adler, "Breaking Dawn" by Stephanie Meyer, "Brisinger" by Christopher Paolini, "Cabinet of Wonders" by Marie Rutkoski, "Carnival at Candlelight" by Mary P Osborne, "Eclipse" by Stephenie Meyer, "Clementine's Letter" by Sara Pennypacker, "The Dragon Tree" by Jane Langton, "Geronimo and the Gold Medal Mystery" by Geronimo Stilton, "Ghostgirl" by Tonya Hurley, "Hiawatha" by Henry Longfellow, "Judy Moody: Around the World in 8 1/2 Days" by Megan McDonald, "Judy Moody, MD: The Doctor is In" by Megan McDonald, "Little By Little" by Amber Stuart, "Make It!" by Jane Bull, "Ottoline and the Yellow Cat" by Chris Riddell, "Paul Revere's Ride" by Henry Longfellow, "Stuart Little" by E.B. White, "Trumpet of the Swan" by E.B. White, "Well Witched" by Frances Hardinge.

From *Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce*

At the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce's annual Business Meeting recently held at the beautiful Bethel Inn Resort, the membership elected nine business people to the chamber's eighteen-member Board of Directors.

Newly elected are: Lynn Wilson, Bethel Inn Resort; Steve

Etheridge, Rooster's Roadhouse; Ross Timberlake, Timberlake's Home Store; Kamil Sahin, The Victoria Inn & Restaurant; Shirley Powell, Stony Brook Recreation; Harry Harding, Gringo Harry's and Hungry Harry's; Susan Isham, Sunday River Inn & Cross Country Ski Center; Pearl Ivey, Schiavi Home Builders; and Jim Mann, Mt. Mann Jewelers. This esteemed group will be beginning their service to the chamber at a planning retreat scheduled for Monday, Nov. 17.

At the annual meeting, outgoing President Roger Beaudoin of the Matterhorn Ski Bar offered his comments on the success of the chamber's programs over the past year. He recognized the dedication and contributions of the current board members and the chamber staff.

Robin Zinchuk, executive director, recognized outgoing board members Kevin Pennell, SpiritWings; John Amann, 22 Broad Street at the Gideon Hastings House and the Barking Dawg; Mike Halle, Hancock Lumber; and Brad Jerome, The Bethel Inn Resort. Robin also thanked Roger for his dedication as president of the Board this past year and for all his help and guidance with the many chamber activities undertaken this past year.

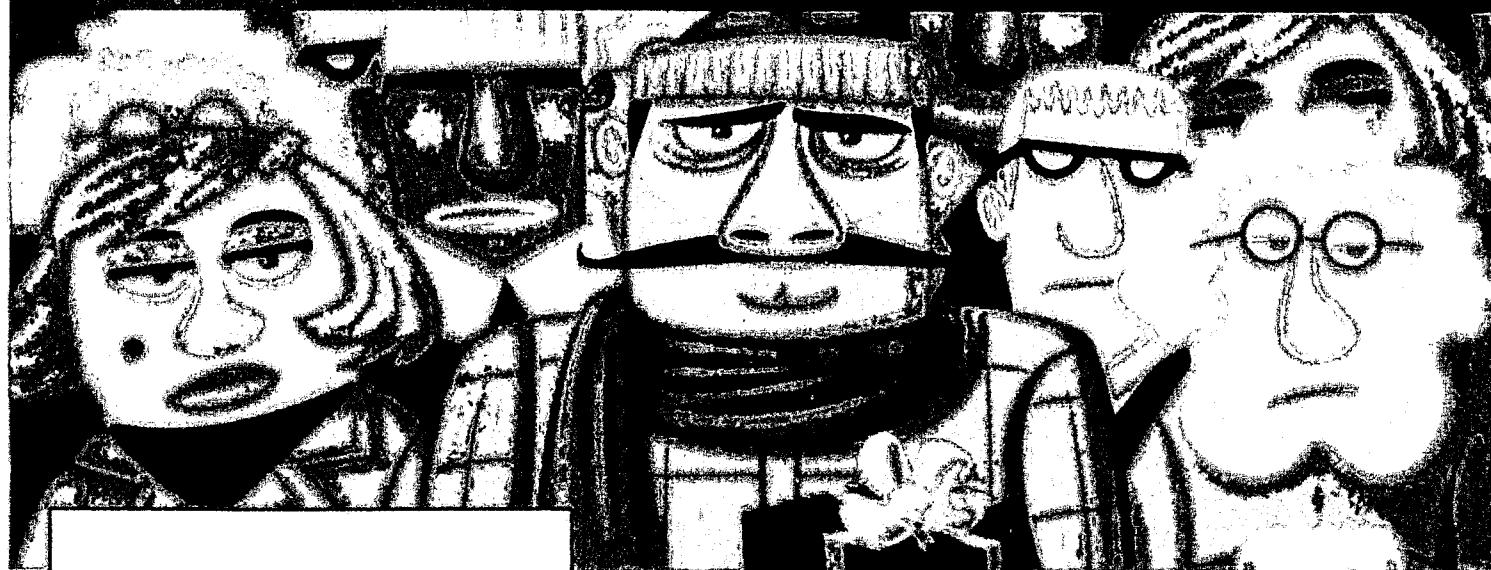
The Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce represents 260 businesses, mostly in SAD44 and adjacent communities in western Maine.

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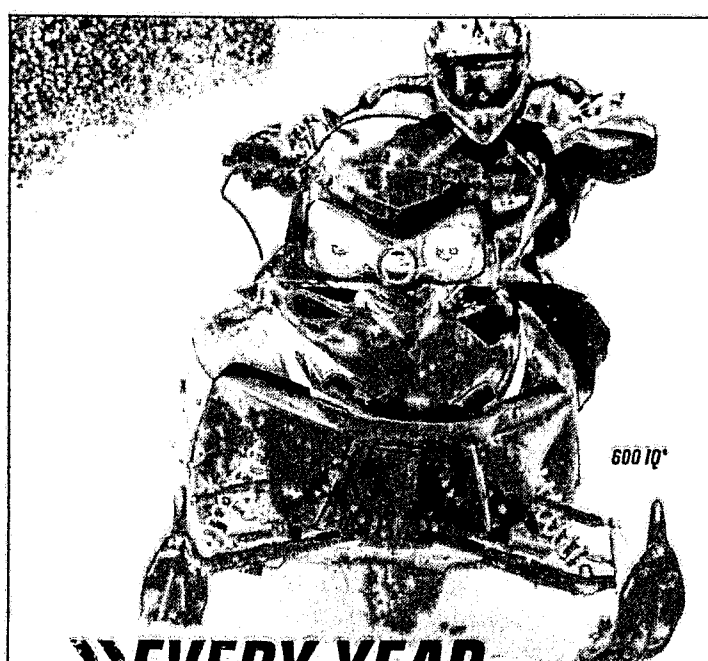
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Events Calendar

9 a.m. (Fridays) - **Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge** at Fare Share Food Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@inegalink.net.

Every Wednesday, 7 to 9 p.m. - **The Yet To Be Named Banjo Club** practices in the Commons of the Fare Share Market at 477 Main Street, Norway. Interested banjoists invited to join. Public welcome to come and listen. FMI: call Alan Hamilton at 875-2680.

First and Third Wednesdays 9 to 12 a.m. - **Veterans' Advocate** will be at Maine Veterans' Home, South Paris.

Wednesdays 6 to 7:30 p.m. - **People in recovery from alcohol/drug addiction** may need to move to a Next Step group. Open to everyone who feels they may benefit from a change. FMI: call Laurence Austin at 824-4077 (all calls confidential).

Wednesday nights - **TOPS**, take off pounds sensibly, meets at Bethel Alliance Church from 5:30 to 6 p.m. (weigh in) and meeting from 6 to 6:30 p.m. All welcome. FMI: call 824-3288.

Wednesdays 10 to 11 a.m. - **T'ai Chi** at Ellie's Express and 5 to 6 p.m. at Bethel Family Health Center. Taught by Betsey Foster, MPH. To register, contact Betsey at 875-2426 or BSF@megalink.net.

Thursdays 1 to 3 p.m. - **Cross Country Quilters** of Pine Tree Quilt Guild of Maine meet at Moses Mason House Barn, corner of Broad and Mason streets, Bethel. All quilters welcome. No dues, no rules, just fun. FMI: call Ginny Keniston (824-2661) or e-mail Pat McCartney at p_quilts@yahoo.com.

Thursday, Nov. 13

2 p.m. - **Whitman Memorial Library**, Bryant Pond, speaker will be author Pat Gott who will talk about her two new books: "Cowgirl Days" and "Horse Tails by Shafta." Open to public (free) and light refreshments served.

5:30 to 7:30 p.m. - **Open House** at Bridgton Hospital Operating Room. Visitors enter through main entrance; guides will meet you. FMI: call Ms. Joyce at 647-6763.

7:30 p.m. - **"Androscoggin River Water Quality: Past, Present and Future"** by Barry Mower of Maine Department of Environmental Protection, at Bethel Historical Society's Mason House Exhibit Hall. FMI: call 824-2908.

8 p.m. - **"Man from LaMancha,"** with Elton Cole and 24 others, opens at the Norway Grange Hall on Whitman Street. Performances also on Nov. 14, 15, 20, 21, 22 at 8 p.m. and Nov. 16 and 23 at 2 p.m. Of an adult nature and suitable for mature audiences only. Tickets: \$12 for adults and \$10 for 12 and under, available at Books-N-Things, Main Street, Norway (739-6200), and at the door.

Friday, Nov. 14

7 p.m. - **Sacred Concert** at Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church, Perkins Valley Road. Love offering.

Saturday, Nov. 15

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. - **9th annual Craft Fair** at Market Square Health Care Center, West Paris. Craft tables available for \$10 each. Call Lynne Wheeler (743-7086 ext. 330) by Nov. 7.

Craft Fair and Food Sale at Rumford Grange. Light lunch served. FMI and to rent table (\$10) call Vicki Clark at 364-2129.

2 to 4 p.m. - **Explorations Student Art Exhibit** at Summit Hotel, Sunday River. Refreshments served, open to public.

3 p.m. - **At St. Kieran Community Center**, 155 Emery Street, Berlin, N.H. The Nutcracker Ballet. Tickets on sale at door. FMI: call (603) 752-1028 or visit www.stkieranarts.org.

4 to 7 p.m. - **Reception for Ken Dixon**, to celebrate his

receiving Fire Chief of the Year from Maine Fire Chiefs Association, at Andover Fire Station.

5:30 p.m. - **Public Supper** at Bethel United Methodist Church. Menu: beans, casseroles, salads, breads, dessert and beverage. Adults \$7; under 12 \$3.

7 p.m. - **Martha Lello, a.k.a. Karmo Sanders**, Birdie Googins and Marden's lady formerly of Norway, will perform in parsonage of Second Congregational Church, UCC. Tickets: \$10, available at church office, Books-N-Things, Main Street, Norway, and some available at door. Doors open 6:30.

Sunday, Nov. 16

1 to 3 p.m. - **Community Gathering** organized by Friends of Gehring House to learn about the progress for sale and preservation of the house. Refreshments and tours of the house before discussions.

4:30 p.m. - **Bethel Outing Club** pre-ski season meeting and potluck celebration for friends and members of the club at Bethel Inn Rec. Center. Pool open 3 p.m., and board members meet same time.

Monday, Nov. 17

10 a.m. - **Essentials of College Planning** workshop (free) at South Paris Career Center, 230 Main Street. FMI or to register: (800) 281-3703 www.mecc.maine.edu.

2:30 p.m. - **Auditions for the Children's Stage Adventures** production of "Androcles and the Lion" will start at Crescent Park Gymnasium for local children grades kindergarten thru fifth grade. The performances will be held at Crescent Park School on Nov. 22 at 2 and 7 p.m.

6 p.m. - **"Under Our Skin,"** Andy Abraham Wilson's award-winning documentary about Lyme Disease will take place at Helen C. Berry Auditorium, Telstar Regional High School. Free. Made possible through efforts of Rhonda Buker of Newry and Diane Farnum of Roxbury each with late-stage Lyme Disease. FMI: Rhonda at rhondabuker1960@yahoo.com or 824-3076 or Diane at dianefarnum@yahoo.com or 357-1928.

Wednesday, Nov. 19

1 p.m. - **Woodstock Extension** meeting at Town Conference Room. Tasting party.

Thursday, Nov. 20

5:30 p.m. - **Chicken Pie Supper** at First Universalist Church, West Paris, Main Street. Tickets: \$7 and \$3 for those 11 and under (on sale at 4:30 p.m.). Quilt raffle with proceeds for grandstand.

7 p.m. - **"Changing Face of SWOAM,"** a presentation by Tom Doak, executive director of SWOAM (Small Woodland Owners Assoc. of Maine), will be held at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School. FMI: contact Western Maine chapter President Merle Ring at 874-3787.

7:30 p.m. - **"Down Mountain and Cross Country: 140 Years of Skiing in Maine"** by Scott Andrews, at Bethel Historical Society's Dr. Moses Mason House Exhibit Hall. Free and open to public. FMI: 824-2908.

Friday, Nov. 21

10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. - **Free Farm Energy Audit Workshop**, for farmers to learn more about increasing energy efficiency on their farms, at Hardy Farm, Farmington. Sponsored by Western Mountain Alliance and Franklin County Soil and Water Conservation District. Free but registration requested (778-3885) or e-mail info@westernmountainalliance.org.

10:30 a.m. - **Oxford County Education Association-Retired** meeting/luncheon at Locke Mills Legion Hall. Program: AARP Safe Driving Program. Calendar Raffle tickets drawn. New retirees welcome. To reserve lunch call 743-7677 if not on phone tree.

Saturday, Nov. 22

9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. - **Holiday Craft Fair** at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School, organized by Marketing/DECA students of Oxford Hills. FMI: 743-7756, Ext. 5100. Over 150 crafters, performances by the OHCHS Chamber Choir, and OH String Quartet, free babysitting, and over 125 door prizes.

American Life in Poetry

Selection and comments by Ted Kooser, U.S. Poet Laureate 2004-2006

In celebration of Veteran's Day, here is a telling poem by Gary Dop, a Minnesota poet. The veterans of World War II, now old, are dying by the thousands. Here's one still with us, standing at Normandy, remembering.

On Swearing

In Normandy, at Point Du Hoc,
where some Rangers died,
Dad pointed to an old man
20 feet closer to the edge than us,
asking if I could see
the medal the man held
like a rosary.
As we approached the cliff
the man's swearing, each bulleted
syllable, sifted back
toward us in the ocean wind.
I turned away,
but my shoulder was held still
by my father's hand,
and I looked up at him
as he looked at the man.

Admission: \$1 for adults, and 12 and under and 65 and older are free. FMI call 743-7756, Ext. 5100.

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. - **Holiday Fair** at Lovell United Church of Christ, 1174 Main Street (Route 5), Center Lovell. Baked goods, gift table, greens table, cherished treasures table. Lunch available. Quilt raffled at 1:30 p.m. (\$1 each or 6 for \$5 from church members).

1 p.m. - **Norway/Paris Lions Club Chinese Auction** at American Legion Hall, Church Street, South Paris. Doors open 11 a.m. Refreshments available, raffle of heating oil and a 50/50 raffle. Proceeds will help the blind and visually impaired. Bring any eyeglasses or sunglasses not in use. FMI: call Shelly Everett at 461-4249.

5 and 6:30 p.m. - **Logger's Supper** at Bethel Methodist Church with proceeds to benefit leukemia patient Craig Curtis. Two sittings. Raffles: ski pass donated by Sunday River, Thanksgiving basket, etc. E-mail addresses of those interested in being a bone marrow donor will be collected or send to marilyn.swan@maine.edu. A donation for Craig may be sent to Marilyn Swan, 74 Sunday River Road, Bethel, ME 04217.

Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 22 and 23

Western Mountains Senior College Senior Players will present nine serious and comic plays, directed by Lynn Arizzi, at McLaughlin Science Center Trustees Auditorium, Gould Academy on Saturday at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

Sunday, Nov. 23

7 p.m. - **At St. Kieran Community Center**, 155 Emery Street, Berlin, N.H.: performers will bring the best of the Big Band Era's jazz, swing and favorite American tunes to the stage. Tickets on sale at door. FMI: call (603) 752-1028 or visit www.stkieranarts.org.

Monday, Nov. 24

6:30 p.m. - **Waterford Library Bridge Group** meeting. No partner necessary. FMI: call 583-7229.

More Community Calendar

An extended version of this week's Community Calendar can be found on our homepage: bethelcitizen.com.

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It's always wise to call ahead

Listings in The Citizen's weekly Community Calendar are compiled from a wide variety of sources. While we do our utmost to ensure the reliability of the information presented here, we recognize that when dealing with such a large volume of material, some inaccuracies will occasionally creep in. And in other cases, a sponsoring organization's plans may change between the time The Citizen is printed and the event is held.

Accordingly, we strongly urge our readers to call ahead to verify the details of any event they plan to attend. Doing so will greatly reduce the chance of disappointment or needless inconvenience.

Support Services

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 368-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

AA MEETINGS

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Speaker/Discussion Meeting, Tuesdays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's 12 Step/Traditions Meeting, Fridays at 6pm at Bethel United Methodist Church.

ADDICTION HELP

Narconon, a nonprofit public benefit organization that specializes in helping people with drug or alcohol addictions offers FREE assessments and more than 11,000 local referrals through the 800 line. Drug addiction can be overcome and Narconon can help. Call (800) 556-8885 or visit www.drugrehab.net.

EXCHANGES

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday, 10am-12pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Darcy Lund at 739-2888.

MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 5pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-8pm; Wednesday 3-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 364-3549 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

POST PARTUM SUPPORT GROUP

"Meet the Midwives" meets from 5-6:30 every first Tuesday of the month, and the Post Partum Support Group meets every fourth Wednesday of the month from 6:30-7:30. The meetings take place at Blue Moon Midwives, 176 Main Street, Norway, directly across from Stephen's Memorial Hospital. For more information, call 207-739-2800 or visit www.bluemoon-midwives.com

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

VETERANS' SERVICES (STATE/VA BENEFITS)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300); Career Center in Rumford (364-3718), second Thursday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 29 Westminster St., 7:30am to 4pm, Monday thru Friday, Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm. Tel. 392-4841.

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday 1-4:30 pm; Thursday 1-4:30 & 6-8 pm. Tel. 392-4841

Bethel Library: Monday 9-1; Tuesday 1-5; Wednesday 1-8; Thursday & Friday 1-5 Saturday, 9-1. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11 am October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday 11:30-5:30 Saturday 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 pm. Tel. 743-2980

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Tuesday 1:30-5; Thursday 1:30-7.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-6; Wednesday 1:30-7; Friday 1:30-6; Saturday 10-2. Patty Makley, Librarian. 674-2004

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 9-3.

Upton Library: Wednesday, 2-6, Children's Hour 1-2; Saturday 2-4.

Church Services

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 930a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9am; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 9:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand Corriveau.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Rev. Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 to 11 a.m. followed by brunch. All are welcome. FMI-392-3581

Galvary Bible Church - Pastor Ken Wag staff Sunday School 9:30 a.m.; Sunday worship 10:45 a.m. followed by brunch; Wednesday prayer meeting 6:30 p.m. Rt. 5.5 Andover 922-1121

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church- Rev Kevin Bellingr. Pastor, Jim Rose, Youth Pastor. Sunday School for adults and children at 9 a.m. Worship Service at 10 a.m. Kids Klub 4 yrs-5th grade and High School Youth Group at 12th grade at 5:30 p.m. Thursdays: Middle School Youth Group (6th-8th grade) at 5 p.m. For more information, call 821-2329

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 am Sunday School, 10:30 am morning worship. Wednesday evening service in different locations. Call for info. 821-3022 (voice mail) or 821-2389 FMI.

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickman, 10 a.m. worship, child care available. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m. FMI call 821-6550. Our Lady of the Snows - Saturday mass at 6 p.m. Rev. Angelo Levasseur, 961-4536.

United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross, Pastor, 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

West Bethel Union - Morning worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-3333 or 836-2882. Rev. John Williams. Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Aaron McNally. Sunday Services: Sunday School, 9am. Worship Service, 10am. Ladies Bible study Tuesday, 2:30pm. Prayer meeting Tuesday 6pm. Awana clubs follow school 3 year calendar. FMI 836-3906 or 821-2037.

Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 821-2913.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday 821-3577 FMI.

Seventh Day Adventist Fellowship: Meets at the Nazarene Church on Saturdays, on Church Street in Bethel. For more info, call 821-8938.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish Churches in Stoneham and North Waterford - Services at 10 a.m. at the North Waterford Congregational Church (UCC), located on the Five Kezars Road, off Routes 35 & 37, opposite Melby's Market. Services held at North Waterford through the winter months. Choir practice 9am, followed by Bible Study at 9:15am.

GORHAM, NH

Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Levigen.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen Office, mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444. The Deadline is Monday at Noon.

Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Sunday service 10:30 a.m. Sunday evening service 7 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m. FMI 603-968-2351
Gorham Congregational Church - Interim minister Rev. Kent Schneider Sunday morning worship and church school at 10 a.m. Communion is celebrated the first Sunday of each month. FMI 603-968-2136

HARRISON

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 9:45 a.m. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 583-9621 or 998-7450 for more info.

LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Frank Haines. Sunday morning service will begin at 9 a.m. Bible study at the church is every Tuesday at 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints - 265 Main Street. Worship service Sunday days at 10am. Pres. Peter Beckel 964-3601

NEWRY

Sunday River Christian Ministry - Rev. Don Coverdale. Interdenominational church services on the mountain over 100 years continue with our special annual Candle Light Christmas Eve service, Wednesday, Dec. 24, at Barker Mountain Lodge by the fireplace. Regular services start Dec. 28, 2004, continuing each Sunday. Call Rev. Don's cell phone (781-710-8088) or 624-5936 (machine) for details.

NORWAY/PARIS

First Church of Christ, Scientist - Sunday service 10 a.m. Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. 5 Morrill Rd. Rt. 118 (east corner to Norway Country Club, Norway) Call 821-4049 FMI or ride.

Trinity Lutheran Church - Route 117, S. Paris. Pastors: Kim Marie and Tom Myhre. Sunday School at 9am. Sunday morning service 10:15 a.m. with coffee, refreshments and good fellowship Bible study. Wednesdays 7 p.m.

North Paris Federation - Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 9 a.m. Pastor Bruce Tynes. 674-2968. Singers perform third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) - Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665-2680 or Sue Reilly at 966-2012 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St., Oxford Services 9 a.m., June-Aug., Sunday School at 10 a.m. Informal worship at 5 p.m. Sundays. Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Rev. Anne Stanley Call 743-6782 for more information.

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill 10:30 am worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship lunch held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

St. Catherine's: Saturdays 9 p.m. Vigil Mass. Sundays 9:30 a.m. Mass. Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway - 11am worship (Sept. - June). Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am-12:15pm. FMI 743-2628

OXFORD

St. Mary's: Saturdays 12pm Vigil Mass. Our Lady of Ransom: Sundays 10:30 a.m. Mass

RUMFORD

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church - High Communion, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Tim Parsons. Priest-in-charge. Special ministries will be anointed. St. Michael's: 10:30 a.m.

RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Pastor. Thank a Pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday prayer meeting at 7 p.m. Wednesday night Bible study and Sunday school 10:30 a.m. Sunday School. FMI call 964-3601 or 964-3601

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Sandra Wilby

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris - 9 a.m. worship. Rev. Richard Bell 674-2447

West Paris Baptist - Sunday worship 9:45 a.m. Bible Study 7 p.m. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Religious education 9:45 a.m. Summer School 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Sunday evening worship 7:30 p.m. Monday 10:30 a.m. Bible study 7 p.m. Tuesday 7 p.m. Wednesday 7 p.m. Thursday 7 p.m. Friday 7 p.m. Saturday 7 p.m. Sunday 9:30 a.m. Sunday 10:30 a.m. Sunday 11:30 a.m. Sunday 12:30 p.m. Sunday 1:30 p.m. Sunday 2:30 p.m. Sunday 3:30 p.m. Sunday 4:30 p.m. Sunday 5:30 p.m. Sunday 6:30 p.m. Sunday 7:30 p.m. Sunday 8:30 p.m. Sunday 9:30 p.m. Sunday 10:30 p.m. Sunday 11:30 p.m. Sunday 12:30 p.m. Sunday 1:30 p.m. Sunday 2:30 p.m. Sunday 3:30 p.m. Sunday 4:30 p.m. Sunday 5:30 p.m. Sunday 6:30 p.m. Sunday 7:30 p.m. Sunday 8:30 p.m. Sunday 9:30 p.m. Sunday 10:30 p.m. Sunday 11:30 p.m. Sunday 12:30 p.m. Sunday 1:

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The Buy Local Rewards program participants welcome you throughout the Bethel area, offering an unrushed experience as well. Plan to come to, or stay in Bethel and spend the day enjoying our traditional New England charm. The Wares Fair will end promptly at 4 p.m. and most shops are open for at least another hour.

For more information on the Local Wares and Crafts Fair and the upcoming Country Christmas in Bethel, call the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce at 824-2282 or view our website at www.bethelmaine.com.

From Oxford County 4-H Program

The 4-H EDGE Weekend is a program Connecting Kids to the Campus and brings 4-H youth ages 11-15 from around Maine to the University of Maine Campus for an on-campus weekend that includes workshops with on-campus faculty and staff to introduce youth to various disciplines available at the University. Youth stay in a residence hall, eat in the college commons, and take advantage of other campus resources such as athletic facilities, the planetarium, and the Page Farm and Home Museum. They also create short digital video segments to serve as one of the evaluations of the event. Parents are invited to a one-day track of workshops on topics such as the college admission process, getting your child ready for college, financial aid, and how to become "scholarship ready."

The SET Program Leadership Team has taken the lead on the planning of this event for the last two years, so many of the

workshops have a SET focus. In particular, the College of Engineering has been very willing to partner with us to provide workshops. Animal and veterinary science is another popular subject area.

The EDGE weekend has had a positive impact on youth participants. While we are working on formal long-term assessments of impact, we know from conversations with the youth that the program has encouraged some of them to consider careers through the University of Maine. In addition to a positive impact on youth, the program has also had a very positive impact on the relationship between 4-H and the Engineering Department. The dean and assistant dean have become great supporters of the project and encourage their staff to participate. Working together on EDGE has helped to open up other possibilities for ongoing collaborations and is helping us get the technical support and knowledge that we need to bring high-quality science into our program.

Last year over 20 Oxford County 4-H members attended the EDGE Program on the University of Maine campus in Orono. The 4-H EDGE Program is open to all youth and is a 4-H Youth Development program of the University of Maine Cooperative Extension. For more information, please call Susan Jennings, Extension educator at 743-6329.

From Western Maine University and Community College Center

Course Guides for spring 2008 classes are available at Western Maine University and Community College Center. Registration for most University of Maine System degree students began on Monday, Nov. 10, and registration for most non-degree students begins on Nov. 17.

We offer courses in a wide array of topics, including Psychology, Business, Human Services, Computer Information Systems,



FBLA COMMUNITY SERVICE—Telstar High School's Chapter of the Future Business Leaders of America took on a challenge to start the school year. As part of the group's commitment to community service, they split and stacked five cords of wood for an elderly gentleman with cancer. More than 21 members helped. Several members split and transported wood while others carried and stacked it in the basement. For more information on Telstar FBLA go to <http://mrsbennett7502.googlepages.com/thsf.b.l.a>. Anyone with project ideas may contact the group through e-mail on the website or call Telstar directly. Pictured are, front: Candice Hall, Alyssa Steven, Jamie Steven, Morgan Lee, Jen Aldrich, Jean Lawrence, Samantha Tibbetts, and Advisor Jennifer Bennett. Back: Megan Bonney, Deagan Conrad, Brian Annis, Dylan Coolidge, John Lewis, Molly Keane, Rick Agulair, Pauline Thurston, Mat Lauro, Amy Farrington, Victoria Forkus, Amy Mahar, Marian Hotopp, Lauretta Thurston.



BOYS' AND GIRLS' STATE DELEGATES—The Locke Mills and Bethel American Legion Posts recently hosted Telstar High School Boys' and Girls' State delegates at a dinner at the Locke Mills Post. Pictured are, seated: Ben Cross, Bethany O'Neil, Kelsey Kuvaja, Jen Aldrich, Briana Douglass. Back: Bob McCartney, Will Chapman, Deagan Conrad, Lance Brown, Andrew Gundersen, John Doyle (State Commander); Tim Aguilar, Bruce Pierce (SAL Post 150); Wayne Hakala and Bob Richardson (District Commander).

Women's Studies, Nursing, Creative Writing and many more. Courses are offered onsite, online, via two-way videoconferencing, and over

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Please take notice that Flat Road, LLC, P.O. Box 207; Center Conway, NH 03813; Tel: 897-6752 is intending to file a Major Amendment modification application to their existing Site Location of Development Act permit pursuant to the provisions of 38 M.R.S.A. §§ 481 through 490 with the Maine Department of Environmental Protection on or about November 10th, 2008.

The application is for an additional 5 lots on their existing 26 lot Winter Park subdivision. No new roads are proposed, at the following location: Flat Road, Bethel, Maine.

A request for a public hearing or a request that the Board of Environmental Protection assume jurisdiction over this application must be received by the Department in writing, no later than 20 days after the application is found by the Department to be complete and is accepted for processing. A public hearing may or may not be held at the discretion of the Commissioner or Board of Environmental Protection. Public comment on the application will be accepted throughout the processing of the application.

For Federally licensed, permitted, or funded activities in the Coastal Zone, review of this application shall also constitute the State's consistency review in accordance with the Maine Coastal Program pursuant to Section 307 of the federal Coastal Zone Management Act, 16 U.S.C. § 1456.

The application will be filed for public inspection at the Department of Environmental Protection's office in Portland during normal working hours. A copy of the application may also be seen at the municipal offices in Bethel, Maine.

Written public comments may be sent to the regional office in Portland where the application is filed for public inspection: MDEP, Southern Maine Regional Office, 312 Canco Road, Portland, Maine 04103.

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Sports

High School Boys' Varsity Soccer

MAISAD Semi-Final: Hebron 2, Gould 1; Nov. 5—Gould played their best game of the year against Hebron Academy. Gould began the game with eight seniors who set a good tone for the game. Gould was able to keep their defensive shape for most of the game and maintain possession once they won it. Several times Gould was able to create good scoring opportunities due to some quick and decisive passing. Hebron scored in the eighth and 24th minutes after defensive miscues. In the 88th minute, David Wilde stepped up at mid-field to win a ball and then played a good pass to Wongu Kim up front who turned and played a ball behind the Hebron defense for Kevin Dawson to run onto and score. Gould controlled the play for the last 10 minutes and finished the game with confidence and composure. Sam Dasch, Antoine Dutil, Nico Portuondo and Will Buick also played very well. —from Gould Academy sports reports

High School Girls' Varsity Soccer

MAISAD Final: Kents Hill 1, Gould 0; Nov. 8

MAISAD Semi-Final: Gould 3, Hyde 2; Nov. 5—#3-seeded Gould took on #2 Hyde in the MAISAD semi-final game at Hyde School. Gould had split with Hyde during the regular season, with both teams winning at home. Gould scored their first two goals of the game within the first 5 minutes of play. The first goal was scored by Hilary Reis off of a diagonal pass from Taylor Aube. One and a half minutes later Taylor Aube added another goal. Gould had several more opportunities in the first half but was not able to connect. Hyde scored within the last 5 minutes of the half making the score 2-1 at halftime. Both teams battled for possession of the ball with intensity. Gould was able to connect once more with a pass from left wing Sarah Doyon across the box to Hilary Reis. A short while later Hyde scored their second goal off of a corner kick play. —from Gould Academy sports reports

High School Varsity Field Hockey

MAISAD Final: Hebron 4, Gould 0; Nov. 8.

High School Cross-country

New England Track Association Cross Country Division Five Championship; Nov. 8—Gould Academy traveled to Marianopolis Prep in Connecticut for the New England Track Association Cross Country Division Five Championship. There were 23 schools competing at the race, and the Gould men's varsity and junior varsity teams both finished 5th, and the women's team finished 10th. Gould was led three all-New England runners: Corey Polonski (12th), Henry Gaudion (6th), and Andrew Nesbitt (7th). Rounding out the scoring in the large men's varsity field of 150 runners were co-captain Pete Cowan (41th), Galen Topper (62nd), and Jeb Clarke (79th). In the large women's field of over 100 runners, the Gould team was led by co-captain Corey Polonski (12th) with Lauren Chargaris (53rd), co-captain Courtney Amman (58th), Ellie Crampton (72nd), and Rachel Oh (79th). In a large JV field of 67 runners, Gould was led by scoring runners Crosby Taymore (19th), Ben Martin (21st), Wyatt Costello (35th), an injured Jacob Koppell (36th), and Kieran Bates (41st). Co-captain Jeff Lewis, Marco Pfahler, Scott Mickey, Scott Cameron, Mitchell Frazier, and Shaquille Jones should also be proud of their strong effort in the New England Championship. Overall, the Gould runners showed marked improvement over last year's championship, and without any senior male runners on the varsity team should be positioned as one of the contenders for the championship next fall. —from Gould Academy sports reports

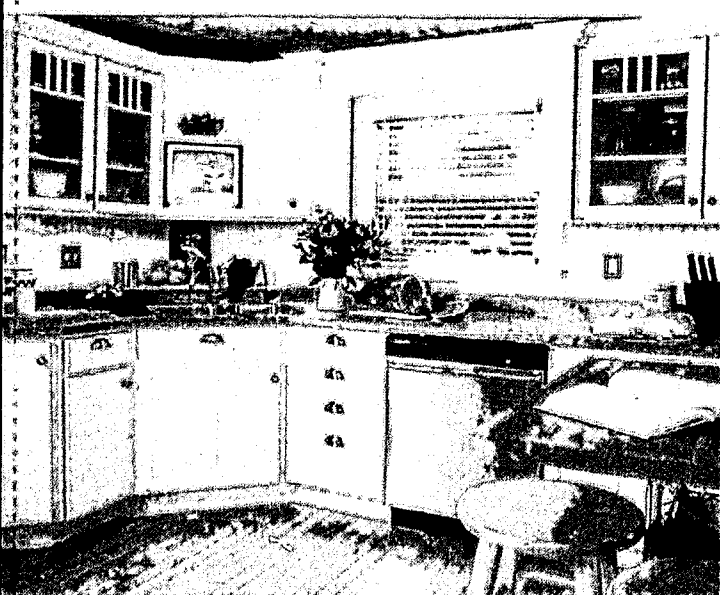


TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL 2008 CROSS COUNTRY TEAM—Front: Ben Lewis, Tim Jewell, Adam Mahar, Hal Harren, Dylan Coolidge, Matt Braley, Marian Hotopp. Back: Lance Brown, Will Chapman, Gavin Lee, Evan Fessenden, Gabe Aguilar, Matt Lauro, John Lewis, Kaitlyn Keane. (Photo courtesy Intervale Photography)

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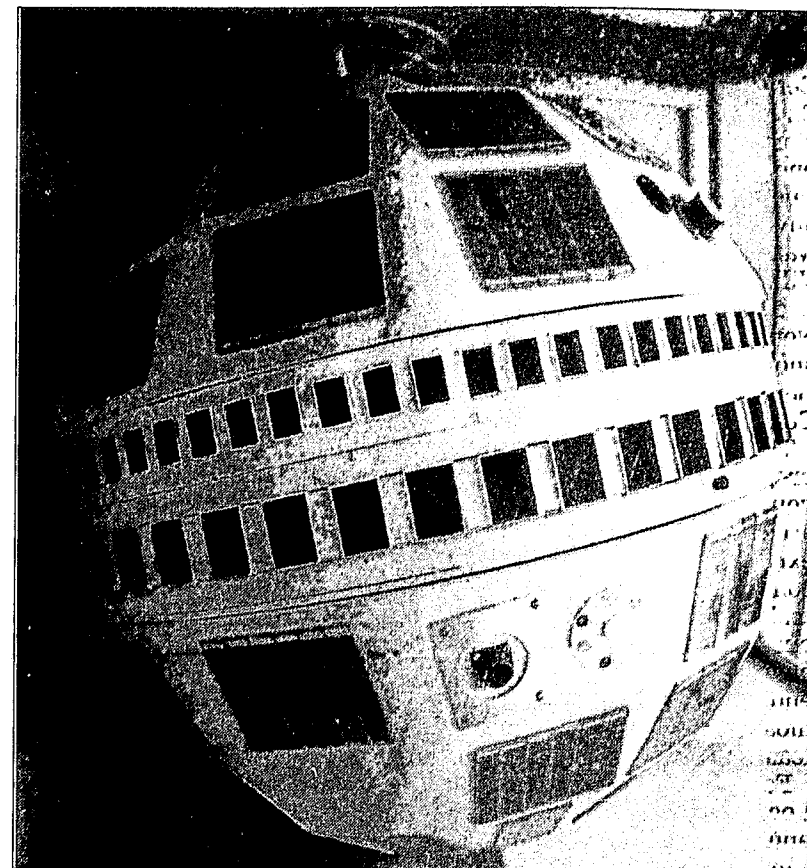
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School Lunch—Week of Nov. 17

Telstar High/Middle School

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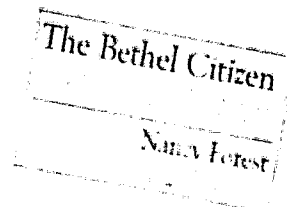
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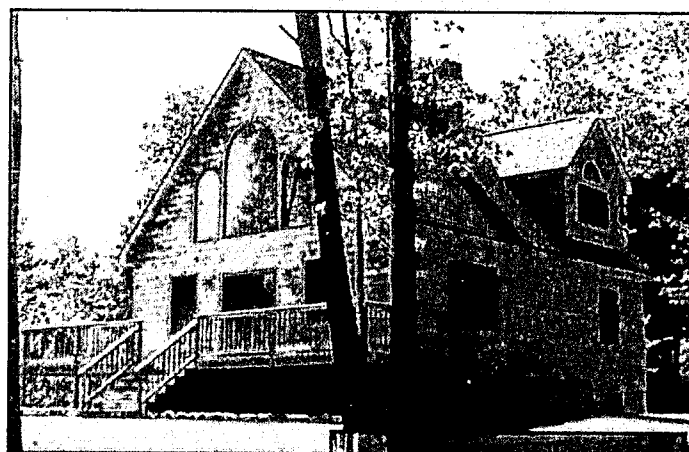
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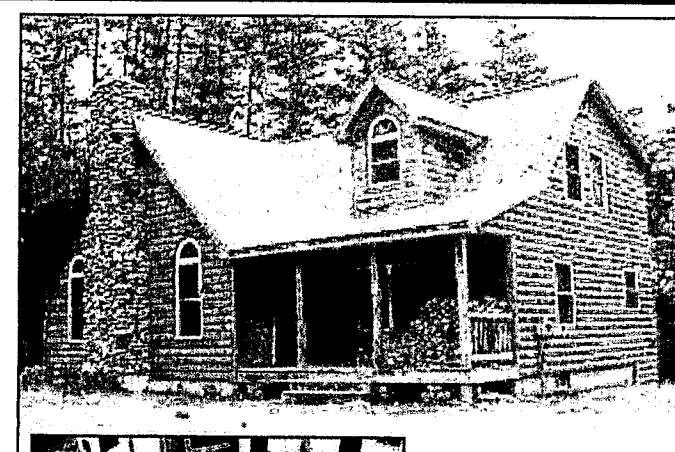


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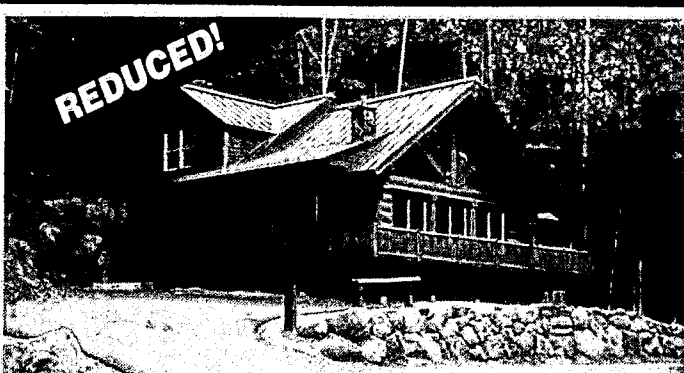


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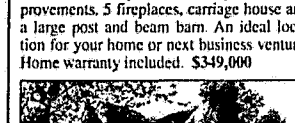
IN TOWN NEW ENGLANDER
Wonderful 4 bedroom home located on a nice residential street in downtown Bethel. Walking distance to all amenities. Open floor plan, tastefully appointed. Attached 2 story barn. \$229,000



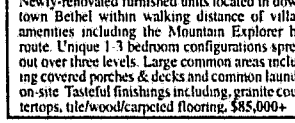
AFFORDABLE CHALET
Unbelievably priced log sided home located in a nice rural subdivision just a short distance from the Village and all four season activities. Three bedrooms, 2 baths, unfinished daylight basement. Furnishings are negotiable. SELLER IS MOTIVATED!! \$200,000



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Ideally located on Route 2. Large rooms with unlimited potential. Many recent improvements. 5 fireplaces, carriage house and a large post and beam barn. An ideal location for your home or next business venture. Home warranty included. \$349,000



THE CAMERON HOUSE
Newly-renovated furnished home located in downtown Bethel within walking distance of village amenities including the Mountain Explorer bus route. Unique 1-2 bedroom configurations spread out over three levels. Large common areas including covered porches & decks and common family on site. Taped finishes including granite countertops, tile/wood/ceramic flooring. \$85,000+



TWITCHELL BROOK ESTATES
Desirable 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath condominium located enroute to Sunday River. Nice open floor plan with pine, cathedral ceiling. 1st floor master suite, fireplace, great access=great location. \$229,000

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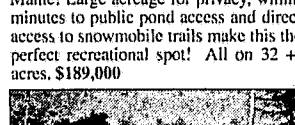
ARTS & CRAFTS COTTAGE
Beautiful cottage style one bedroom home. Open concept, cathedral ceiling, and custom cabinets in this arts and crafts style home. Property borders a stream and Route 232. Near Mt. Abram and several area ponds and lakes. Storage building and plenty of parking space. \$159,900



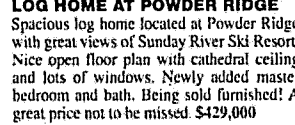
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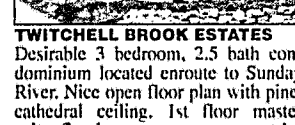
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Great opportunity for that getaway spot in Maine! Large acreage for privacy, within minutes to public pond access and direct access to snowmobile trails make this the perfect recreational spot! All on 32+ acres. \$189,000



LOG HOME AT POWDER RIDGE
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NEWRY NEW ENGLANDER
Motivated Seller! Antique 3 bedroom home with frontage on the Bear River. Spacious kitchen with pantry, New storm windows. An affordable and rare opportunity. Being offered furnished. \$129,900



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LOCKE MOUNTAIN 04 4 bed/4 bath, fireplace, furnished, views, slope...
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SOUTH RIDGE 02 3 bed/2 bath, furnished, slope...
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EDEN RIDGE 4C 2 bed/2 bath, fireplace, close to village, views...
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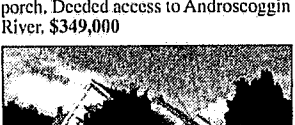
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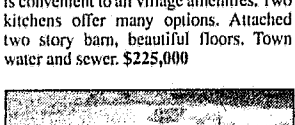
NEW WEST BETHEL FARMHOUSE
Quality construction is evident throughout this newly built home. Custom kitchen cabinets, detailed trim work & open floor plan are only part of the home's character. Farmer's porch with beautiful views. 2nd floor laundry, partially finished basement. Additional land available. \$200,000



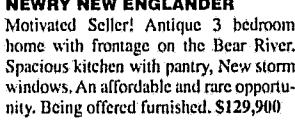
BEAUTIFUL HANOVER 1850'S CAPE
Four bedroom Cape in Hanover, full of original charm and loads of potential. Original details include 4 fireplaces, wide pine floors. Situated on a nice 24+ acre lots only 10 minutes to Bethel and Sunday River Skiing. \$129,900



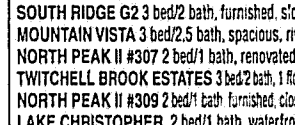
COOMBS VILLAGE CHALET
Conveniently located just off the Sunday River Rd. in Coombs Village, this 2-bedroom chalet offers an open floor plan, deck with hot tub, large private backyard, wide pine floors, gas fireplace and more. Great rental history. \$199,000



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BETHEL VILLAGE CAPE
Attractive Village home with 2+ bedrooms with opportunity for expansion located within walking distance of town and all village amenities. Large fireplace with local rocks (quartz). Large deck off the back overlooking the mountains. 2 car attached garage. \$299,000

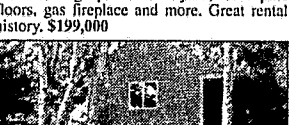
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NEAR NORTH POND
Exceptionally well built, energy efficient home. ICF construction with radiant heat throughout. Cathedral ceiling with open concept and woodstove. Home is being conveyed fully furnished. 1 bedroom apt. in the basement. Easy walk to North Pond! \$269,000



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CONDOS
MERRILL BROOK 3C 1 bed/1 bath, fireplace, panoramic ski views, slope... \$164,900
SUNRISE C105 1 bed/1 bath, furnished, top floor, slope, rental ready... \$134,500
BROOKSIDE II #A315 1 bed/1 bath, furnished, end unit, slope... \$119,900
FALL LINE NORTH 107 1 bed/1 bath, furnished, slope, rental ready... \$118,900
31 PARK STREET CONDOS 1-3 bed/1-2 bath units, quality finishes, in town... \$115,000
FALL LINE NORTH 202 1 bed/1 bath, furnished, slope... \$115,000
RIVERBEND #25 1 bed/1 bath, furnished, sunny end unit, free shuttle access... PENDING
RIVERBEND #2 1 bed/1 bath, furnished, great rental history, free shuttle access... \$107,500
CASCADES B2 1 room/1 bath, end unit studio, sleeps 4, furnished, slope, ski in/out... \$89,000
THE CAMERON HOUSE 1-3 bed/1-2 bath units, common area, walk to village amenities... \$85,000+

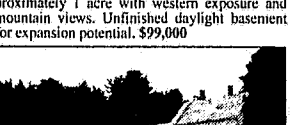
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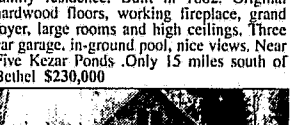
MT. ABRAM CHALET
Spacious three bedroom chalet near Mt. Abram. Beautiful 20' x 20' family room with cathedral ceiling, large brick chimney and hearth with cozy wood stove. Nice views of Mt. Abram and ski slopes. Open concept design with custom kitchen cabinets. Hot tub in separate room with skylights. Finished basement. Storage building. Patio and deck. This house could serve easily as a ski house or comfortable full time residence. \$249,000



32 ACRE LOT NEWRY
This beautiful wooded lot is just minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort...ideal for either a primary home or vacation home it is located on a town maintained, paved road with electricity at the street. \$95,000



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Unique 3 bedroom / 2 bath log-sided chalet located just south of the Bethel Village. Covered porch, private backyard, great open floorplan, unfinished daylight basement with expansion potential, detached 2 car garage and more! Partially furnished. \$315,000



LAND
Bethel, Route 6, 75 acres on Songo Pond Rd. \$850,000
Bethel, Rt. 2, 102 acres with den rights for Condos \$550,000
Crystal Lake, 1.33 acres... SOLD
Intervale Rd. 28.5 acres... \$200,000
Norway, lake & min. views, 14 acres... \$193,000
Mountain Valley Subdivision, 1.47 acres... \$129,000
Webb River Waterfront Lot, 8.9 acres... \$129,000
Bear River Rd., scenic view, wooded, 32 acres... \$129,000
Baker's Acres Lot, 1.53 acres... SOLD
Red House Farm Village, 250 acres... \$110,000
Albany, 42.35 acres... \$100,000
Mountain View Rd Newry 7.3 acres, cul-de-sac... \$89,900
Norway, fantastic views, 5 acres... \$89,000
Will View Subdivision, 1.3 acres, BEST LOT!... \$84,500
South Pond Shores, 5.170 acres... SOLD
Paradise Rd., in town building lot, .50 acre... \$80,000
Taylor Woods Riverfront Lot, 1.7 acres... \$79,500
Hanover Lot, 12 acres, development potential... \$65,000
Sunday River Rd, 1 acre, outstanding views PENDING
Near North Pond, .83 acres... \$59,000
Bird Hill Road, 2.84 acres... \$57,000
Bird Hill Lot, 12 acres... \$50,000
Route 26 Woodstock, wooded & level, .85 acres... \$45,000
Albany, 3 acres, close to Bethel, power at street... \$40,000
Rocky Road, Woodstock, .35 acres... \$34,500
Woodstock Lot, Great mtn. views, 7.5 acres... \$32,900
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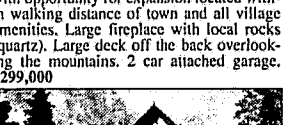
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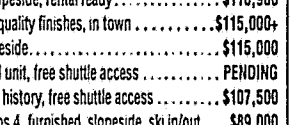
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views is situated in a very private setting at the end of a quiet road, minutes to the ski lifts at Mt. Abram, and only a 12 mile drive to Sunday River. Currently a 1BR dwelling, a 2nd BR could be added with ease. Include the private detached 16'X20' cabin out back, wheat & electric, and you're sleeping more friends & family than you imagined. A Great Getaway! \$175,000

Charming, never lived in, 3BR
country cape within minutes of Bethel Village amenities. Motivated seller is looking for offers and may consider owner's finance, lease w/purchase option, or other creative financing ideas. Show us something on paper!! \$229,000

Situated on a quiet road across
from Songo Pond, find this charming cottage nestled in the Pines. Spend lazy days soaking up the sun or relaxing in the wonderful screened porch and enjoy the warm summer breeze, evening sunsets and the sounds of the loons. Recent updates, excellent views to boating, swimming and fishing and boasting a gorgeous view of the pond. You don't want to miss this! \$116,900

This contemporary home was
state of the art at the time of construction & features cedar lined closets, large windows with views of Round Pond, full cathedral ceiling w/ wonderful exposed wood beams throughout open floor plan, a brick fireplace w/wood stove insert, 4 BRs, 1 1/2 baths, attached 2-car garage, shed & exterior Western Redwood siding. A steal at \$120,000!

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Prime frontage on well traveled
Rte 2 offers a great investment opportunity for a self-motivated individual. Spacious 4BR house, huge attached garage with overhead storage, and outbuildings - All filled with years of antiques & collectibles awaiting the income potential! Sale includes furniture, genuine nickel plated silver, paintings, periodicals, linens and much more...way too many goodies to list!! \$225,000

Land & Condominiums

LAND	CONDOMINIUMS
BETHEL: 1/2 Acre at Johnson Park.....\$19,000 3 Acres Commercial.....\$60,000 14 Acres E. Bethel.....\$59,900 52 Acres W. Bethel.....\$275,000	Fall Line \$214.....\$132,000 Brookside A202.....\$182,000

Enjoy this custom designed Oak Post & Beam home w/many unique features. Open concept, high ceilings, hardwood floors, brick fireplace w/bear hives oven, a deeded ROW to Norway Lake, carriage house w/storage, 10'x10' screened porch & deck. \$325,000

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42 Goose Eye Drive, Newry:

Spacious home with stunning views overlooking the golf course at the Sunday River Golf Club. 3-bay heated garage, separate guest quarters, large master suite, custom cabinetry, lovely sunroom. Lifetime family membership to the golf club. \$795,000

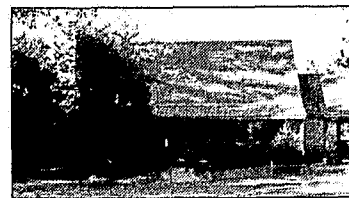


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44 Merriman Drive, Bethel: Nestled among towering pines with spectacular village and mountain views, this architectural gem offers privacy, 4 BRs and 2.5 baths - within 10 minutes from Sunday River. The property's guest cabin has been featured in Down East magazine. \$450,000



274 Douglass Rd, Newry: Spectacular custom-built log home in the Powder Ridge neighborhood, with panoramic views of Sunday River's slopes. Features include 2 fireplaces, master suite, hot tub, deck, finished daylight basement, and attached 3-car garage. \$866,899



28 Riverwood Drive, Newry: Log-sided contemporary home with 3 BRs, 3 baths on 3 1/2 acres in quiet neighborhood. Hot tub, full basement, spacious rooms and stone-encased wood stove in the living room are just some of the features of this quality home. \$319,000

9 Vista Road, Newry: Fabulous building package whilgny regarded local builder. 5-BR/3.5-bath, open floor plan, vaulted ceilings. Great views of Sunday River. Close to hiking, golf, and snowmobile trails. The Peaks Subdivision. (Representative Photo) \$599,000



36 Mtn. Valley Rd, Bethel: Stunning, contemporary house with 3-BR and 2.5 baths. Living quarters on the top level take full advantage of the views. Wrap-around deck, open floor plan, and many windows truly bring the outdoors in. \$449,000



Homes at Bear River: Well-built homes on 4 acres with 260+ feet of private frontage on the Bear River, less than 10 minutes from Graton Notch State Park and Sunday River. \$369,000 and \$389,000. Other building packages available starting at \$249,000.



Sunday River Rd, Bethel: Unit 53 Riverbend Condominiums - Beautiful 1-bedroom, custom-finished end unit with post & beam ceilings, wood floors, granite counters, custom cabinets, washer/dryer in unit, covered porch and more. \$165,000

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Birch Woods, Bethel: Lot 24. Level 2.1-acre lot in beautiful neighborhood. Large building envelope w/potential mtn views and plenty of privacy. \$96,800

9 Vista Rd, Newry: 11-acre lot at The Peaks with panoramic views. Access to hiking and snow mobile trails near Mt. Will. Building packages available. \$149,900

15 Red Farm Village, Newry: Level lot in popular neighborhood, with views of White Heat and minutes from slopes. \$113,000

Mahoosuc Glen, Lot 37: Home site near hole 7 with sweeping views. Driveway and site work completed, and a fully-approved house design. \$179,000

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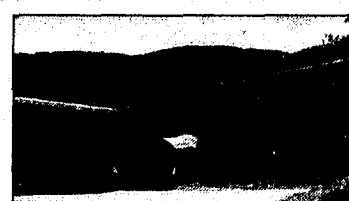
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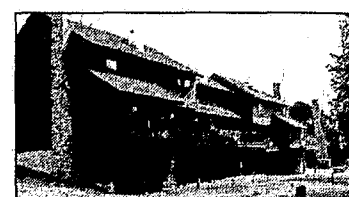
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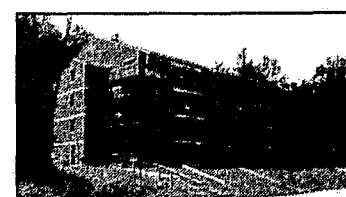
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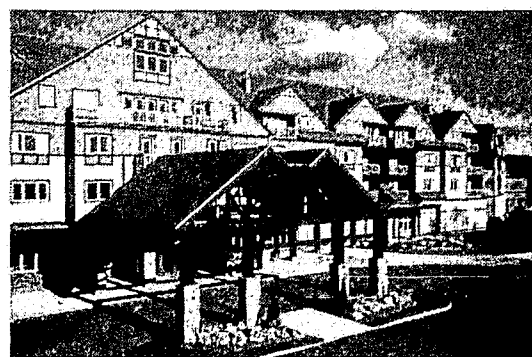


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LOT #6 HIDEAWAY LANE, BETHEL \$248,900
• Four Bedrooms/ Three Full Baths
• Covered Porch, Finished Basement
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194 CHESTNUT KNOLL, BETHEL \$369,000
• Multi-Season Retreat
• Ward Cedar Log Home
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• Beautifully Landscaped
• Fireplace/ 2 Car Garage
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LOT #2 DOUGLASS RD., NEWRY \$130,000
• 1.83 +/- Acres
• Beautiful Sunday River Views
• Electric At Street
• Paved Association Road
• Minutes to Sunday River
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LOT #3 DOUGLASS RD., NEWRY \$140,000
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• Electric At Street
• Fantastic Views Of Sunday River
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78 BEECH RD., GREENWOOD \$162,500
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• Three Bedrooms
• Fully Furnished
• Mountain Views
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0 MILTON RD., MILTON \$167,000
• Expansive Lot
• Gorgeous Views
• 2000' Brook Frontage
• Engineered Bridge
• 106 +/- Acres
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46 MILL HILL RD., BETHEL \$359,000
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• Numerous Amenities
• Over 2100 SF Of Living Space
• Master Bdrm Lookout W/ Kitchenette & Fireplace
• RCI Exchange Opportunities
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99 BAILEY RD., BETHEL \$279,000
• Spacious Saltbox
• 3 Bedroom 2 1/2 Bath
• Fireplace, Hardwood Floors, M. Bdrm Suite
• Quality Furnishings Package Available
• Beautiful Landscaping
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19 PARK ST., WATERFORD \$186,400
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• Nine Rooms, Four Bedrooms
• Warm & Inviting W/ Many Updates
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• 6.7 +/- Acres
• 2 Car Garage & Workshop
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3 EDEN LANE, BETHEL \$275,000
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Gorgeous 4 Bedroom Colonial w/ detached 1 car garage and 450 +/- feet of waterfront on Twitchell Pond. \$359,000

Price Reduced! So. Pond Shores Waterfront
Nicely wooded lot on Sawyer Notch Rd.

New Listing! E. Bethel Road
Lovely 8 Room Creek Revival in exceptional condition set in a quintessential country setting. Priced right at \$219,900

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New Listing! North Peak II 205
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Obituaries

MARILYN L. B. RYERSON

Marilyn L. Bonney Ryerson of Spring Hill, Fla., passed away Sept. 29, 2008 at Har-nanco Care Center.

She was born in West Paris on July 21, 1928, the daughter of Harold C. and Myrtle R. Bonney. She graduated from West Paris High School in 1946.

She was married to Elmer Ryerson for more than 50 years. She was a homemaker and loved sewing and collecting shoes.

She is survived by a daughter and son-in-law, Stacy and Richard Burns; a grandson, Ricky of Spring Hill, Fla., and a sister, Beryl Bonney of West Paris. She was predeceased by her parents; and her husband.

BRYAN KIETH KIMBALL

Bryan Kieth Kimball, 41, of Church Hill, Tenn., went to be with the Lord on Sunday, Nov. 2, 2008 at Wellmont Holston Valley Medical Center, Kingsport, Tenn.

Born in Orlando Fla., Bryan had lived in Kingsport for most of his life. He attended Victory Hill Holiness Church and was a wonderful father and friend.

He is survived by his daughters, Britney France and husband Danny of Kingsport, Tenn.; Chelsea Kimball of Surgoinsville, Tenn.; mother and stepfather, Joann Kimball and Douglas Shepherd, Church Hill, Tenn.; father, George Kimball of Bethel, Maine; two grandchildren, Canaan France and Aaron France; sister, Darla Brown, Kingsport; brothers, G.T. Kimball, Bethel, Maine, Thomas Kimball and wife Nancy of Houston, Texas; the mother of his children, friend and ex-wife, Melinda Kimball of Surgoinsville, Tenn.; several

nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Nov. 6 at the chapel of Carter-Trent Funeral Home, Kingsport, Tenn., with the Rev. Johnny Persinger and Rev. Rodney Houseright officiating. Music was performed by Alisha Addington and Ashton Brown. Graveside service was held on Nov. 6 at Chestnut Flats Cemetery, Gate City, Va.

FRANCES I. HANEY

Frances Isabelle (Ellingwood) Haney of Greenwood Road, West Paris, died in her own home surrounded by her family on Nov. 5, 2008.

She was born in West Paris, on March 3, 1928, to Irwin W. and Lila Gertrude (Proctor) Ellingwood. She grew up in West Paris, where she played basketball and graduated from high school.

She was a registered nurse, specializing in psychiatric nursing and began her nursing career after studying at the Rumbold Hospital. She was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force, honorably discharged as a first lieutenant.

She always enjoyed a good game of cribbage. On June 12, 1955, she married John Haney of Pittsburgh. With her husband and young family, she traveled and worked extensively throughout the country.

She is survived by three sons, Michael Patrick and wife Susan of Clarksville, Tenn.; John Frances and wife Brenda Lynn Gould of West Paris and James Irwin and wife Kimba Lee of West Paris; one daughter, Patricia Mi-

chele Haney; five grandchildren, Leah Marie Haney and friend Will Dennison of Harrison, David Nelson Haney of Clarksville, Tenn., Deborah Lynn Hodgkin and husband Ben of New Gloucester, Kern Patrick Haney and friend Katie Warner of Portland and Tabitha Ann Haney of West Paris; two great-grandchildren, Tegan and Elise Hodgkin; brother, David Ellingwood and wife Gwen of Zephyrhills, Fla.; many nieces, nephews and cousins; several aunts who were like sisters to her; and a very dear friend, Dottie Farrar. She was predeceased by her husband; parents; older sister, Marion Dexter; grandson, John James Haney; and infant grandson, Joseph Michael Haney.

The family would like to extend a very special thanks to the many caring staff of Androscoggin Home Care and Hospice, Kristi Dan, R.N., Deborah Crump, R.N., Market Square Healthcare Center, Althea Stevens, R.N. of Oxford Hills Internal Medicine and Daniel Mingle, M.D.

Memorial services were held Sunday, Nov. 9, at the North Paris Federated Church, Morse Hill Road, West Paris, with the Rev. Bruce Tyner officiating. After the service was a gathering for fellowship and food in celebration of her life at the West Paris Baptist Church basement on Church Street in West Paris. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her memory to the North Paris Federated Church, c/o Beryl Oja, treasurer, 69 North Paris Road, West Paris, ME 04289

JOHN A. MACDOUGALL

John Alden MacDougall, 79, of North Road in Bethel, died Sunday, Nov. 9, 2008 at the Maine Veterans' Home in South Paris.

He was born in Rumbold, on Dec. 1, 1928, a son of Dr. James and Viola (Hayden) MacDougall. He was a graduate of St. Dunson School in Prince Edward Island. He was also a graduate of Massachusetts School of Mortuary Science and also Coyne Electrical School in Massachusetts.

He served in the Korean War from 1951 to 1954, first as a medic and later he transferred to graves registration. He received a Bronze Star for meritorious service.

He was employed for more than 20 years with the Rumbold Post Office. He was a member of the American Legion Post 24. He enjoyed fishing and many family trips to Rangeley.

He is survived by his wife, Barbara L. (Keenan) MacDougall, a daughter, Lea A. MacDougall of Winthrop; a son, James R. MacDougall and wife Diane of Winthrop; a brother, Hayden MacDougall and wife Lucy of Haverhill, Mass.; a granddaughter, Tori MacDougall; and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his parents; and three brothers, Roderick, Gordon and Douglas.

A graveside service with military honors will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 21, at the Maine Veterans' Cemetery in Augusta. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to McKenel's Animal Adoption Agency, 88 Hall Hill Road, Rumbold, ME 04276.

News and photos from clubs and organizations

The Citizen welcomes submissions of news items and photographs from local clubs and organizations.

The deadline for clubs and organizational items is noon Monday, but earlier submission is appreciated.

All news articles should be typed or printed legibly, and include the name and daytime telephone number of a contact person.

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Submissions can be dropped off at The Citizen office (behind the Bethel Town Office) or mailed to P.O. Box 109, Bethel, ME, 04217. During non-business hours, items can be placed in the mailbox outside our office. For further information, call 824-2444.

News and photos can also be submitted by e-mail: news@bethelcitizen.com.

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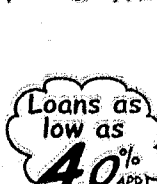
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